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PREFACE

The Wills and Inferior Court Records are taken from microfilms of Houston County, Georgia., Will Book "A" 1827-1855, Inferior Court Minutes 1821-1836 and 1836-1852. These records not only show the estates of deceased, their heirs, legatees, slaves, and land holdings but executors, administrators, guardians, trustees, appraisers, bondsmen, plus orphans, illegitimates, the poor, and those declared insane. The spelling of all names represents the interpertation of this compiler of that written by the Court Clerks, even if it appears incorrect or misspelled. The index to this publication covers over 3000 names.

Other probate records available for this period of time may be found in the Probate Court of Houston County, Georgia or at the Georgia State Archives. They include the Appraisment & Sales Books, Administrator Bonds, Guardian Bonds, and the Annual Returns & Vouchers.

Abstracting and compiling 117 Wills to obtain every bit of genealogical information has been a long and ardious task. Many Wills covered five to ten page of court records and contained many complex provisions i.e., in the event the widow remarried, daughters have no issue, sons decease before final settlement, etc. Many Wills and Inferior Court Minutes contain reference to property, ancestors and descendants in many other States and Georgia Counties including the burnt counties of Twiggs, Wilkinson, Washington, etc. A number of Wills and Administrations are copies from other counties because of heirs or legatees living in Houston County.

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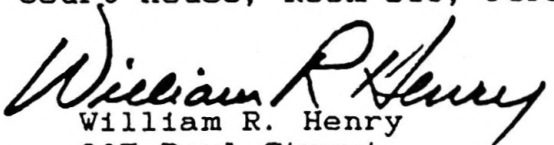

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F O R E W O R D

On behalf of the Central Georgia Genealogical Society, I wish to express our appreciation to our member Mr. William R. Henry for abstracting and compiling into readable condensed language the first Will book and the first two Inferior Court Minute books of Houston County, Georgia. These books consist of over 800 pages of probate records and Mr. Henry has devoted many hours of labor over the past year and a half in research and preparing transcripts in final form for printing.

We wish also to express our graditude to the Trustees of the R. J. Taylor, Jr. Foundation who awarded our Society a grant to assist in the various non-labor costs of compiling these records and the publication costs. The Foundation also absorbed the expense for publishing twenty-five additional copies which they will distribute to various Libraries within the United States.

Houston County was created from Creek Indian land in 1821 using the land lottery system and became Georgia's fifty-first county. It was named for John Houston who served as Governor of Georgia from 1778 to 1784. The name unlike that of Sam Houston or Houston, Texas is pronounced House-ton. Perry is the county seat.

Jimmy L. Brown

Jimmy L. Brown
President CGGS

JUSTICES OF THE INFERIOR COURT OF HOUSTON COUNTY, GEORGIA
(Created by acts of 15 May 1821 and 24 Dec.1821)

CURL, KINCHEN	(in Bibb)	7 Mar.1822 - 23 Dec.1822
MATHIS, JOHN	(in Crawford)	7 Mar.1822 - 23 Dec.1822
LAWSON, DAVENPORT	(in Bibb)	7 Mar.1822 - 23 Dec.1822
OUSLEY, NEWDAYGATE	(in Crawford)	7 Mar.1822 - 23 Dec.1822
MANN, DAVID W.		7 Mar.1822 - 1824
COBB, HOWELL		22 Feb.1823 - 15 Jan.1825
SIMPSON, SOLOMON		22 Feb.1823 - 15 Jan.1825
HADDOCK, WILLIAM		22 Feb.1823 - 15 Jan.1825
RALEY, HENRY W.		23 Apr.1823 - 1824
DUPREE, DANIEL		19 Mar.1824 - 15 Jan.1825
OLIVER, PHINEAS		19 Mar.1824 - 15 Jan.1825
WIMBERLY, JOHN	(removed)	15 Jan.1825 - 1827
MORELAND, TUTTLE H.	(removed)	15 Jan.1825 - 1827
MIMS, WRIGHT		15 Jan.1825 - 9 Jan.1829
JORDAN, WILLOBY		15 Jan.1825 - 9 Jan.1829
JOHNSON, WILLIAM		15 Jan.1825 - 9 Jan.1829
CHAIN, LEVIN F.		16 Apr.1827 - 9 Jan.1829
KILLEN, JAMES H.		16 Apr.1827 - 9 Jan.1829
KILLEN, JAMES H.		9 Jan.1829 - 1830
SPIVEY, LITTLETON		9 Jan.1829 - 1830
DUNCAN, JAMES E.		9 Jan.1829 - 1830
LAIDLER, JOHN		9 Jan.1829 - 22 Jan.1833
CHAIN, LEVIN F.		9 Jan.1829 - 22 Jan.1833
WELLBORN, JOHNSON		18 Mar.1830 - 1832
GUERRY, PETER V.		18 Mar.1830 - 22 Jan.1833
BATEMAN, SIMON		18 Dec.1830 - 22 Jan.1833
KENDRICK, EPHRAIM		1 Aug.1832 - 22 Jan.1833
WEBB, SAMUEL B.		22 Jan.1833 - 1834
WIGGENS, ALLEN		22 Jan.1833 - 6 Jan.1837
BATEMAN, SIMON		22 Jan.1833 - 1834
CULPEPPER, JOSEPH		22 Jan.1833 - 6 Jan.1837
CHAIN, JOHN		22 Jan.1833 - 6 Jan.1837
MOUNGER, EDWIN		8 Mar.1834 - 6 Jan.1837
KENDRICK, EPHRAIM		17 Apr.1834 - 1835
DUNCAN, ROBERT L.		6 Feb.1835 - 6 Jan.1837
McWILLIAMS, THOMAS N.		6 Jan.1837 - 1839
MOUNGER, EDWIN		6 Jan.1837 - 14 Jan.1841
WILLIAMS, SHEPPARD		6 Jan.1837 - 14 Jan.1841
BROWN, REUBEN E.		6 Jan.1837 - 14 Jan.1841
ENGRAM, EDWARD		6 Jan.1837 - 1837
BATEMAN, SIMON		9 Aug.1837 - 1839
KILLEN, JOHN		8 Apr.1839 - 14 Jan.1841
WHITEHEAD, WILLIAM D.		22 Sep.1839 - 14 Jan.1841
BATEMAN, SIMON	(died 5 Aug.1841)	14 Jan.1841 - 1842
HODGES, ROBERT		14 Jan.1841 - 1842
BASKIN, JAMES G.		14 Jan.1841 - 10 Jan.1845
WILSON, WILLIAM T.		14 Jan.1841 - 1842
HORNE, JACOB		14 Jan.1841 - 10 Jan.1845
WHITEHEAD, WILLIAM D.		10 Jan.1842 - 10 Jan.1845
ROYAL, ASA		12 Mar.1842 - 10 Jan.1845
MOUNGER, EDWIN		18 Jun.1842 - 10 Jan.1845
MOUNGER, EDWIN		10 Jan.1845 1847
HARVEY, EDWIN A.		10 Jan.1845 - 4 Jan.1849
KILLEN, JOHN		10 Jan.1845 - 4 Jan.1849
FURLOW, TIMOTHY MATHEWS		10 Jan.1845 - 4 Jan.1849
WEBB, SAMUEL B.		10 Jan.1845 - 1845
ROYAL, ASA		10 Jan.1845 - 1846
DUNCAN, JAMES E.		12 Mar.1845 - 4 Jan.1849
PRINGLE, JAMES A.		13 Apr.1846 - 4 Jan.1849
FURLOW, TIMOTHY MATHEWS	(resigned)	4 Jan.1849 - 1850
KILLEN, JOHN		4 Jan.1849 - 8 Jan.1853
PRINGLE, JAMES A.		4 Jan.1849 - 8 Jan.1853
DUNCAN, JAMES E.	(died)	4 Jan.1849 - 12 May 1851
HARVEY, EDWARD A.		4 Jan.1849 - 8 Jan.1853
SWIFT, WILLIAM T.		12 Jan.1850 - 8 Jan.1853
RAWLS, SILAS		3 Mar.1852 - 8 Jan.1853
WINN, JOHN D.		8 Jan.1853 - 12 Jan.1857
SWIFT, WILLIAM T.		8 Jan.1853 - 12 Jan.1857
RAWLS, SILAS		8 Jan.1853 - 1856
RAGIN, JOHN HAMLIN		8 Jan.1853 - 12 Jan.1857
CHASTAIN, JOHN M.		8 Jan.1853 - 1856
DANFORTH, JOHN H.		14 Mar.1856 - 12 Jan.1857
RUSSELL, BENJAMIN T.		14 Jul.1856 - 12 Jan.1857

WINN, JOHN D.		12 Jan.1857 - 10 Jan.1861
SWIFT, WILLIAM T.		12 Jan.1857 - 1860
CONDEN, CHARLES		12 Jan.1857 - 1857
ANDERSON, CHARLES DAVID		12 Jan.1857 - 1858
RAGIN, JOHN HAMLIN		12 Jan.1857 - 1859
POSTELL, WILLIAM F.		6 Mar.1857 - 1860
HOLTZCLAW, HENRY M.		5 Mar.1858 - 10 Jan.1861
HOUSER, JOHN A.		13 Jun.1859 - 10 Jan.1861
COBB, HOWELL		9 Mar.1860 - 10 Jan.1861
HOUSER, LEWIS M.		9 Apr.1860 - 10 Jan.1861
DAVIS, JAMES M.		10 Jan.1861 - 23 Jan.1865
HOLTZCLAW, HENRY M.		10 Jan.1861 - 23 Jan.1865
HOUSER, JOHN A.		10 Jan.1861 - 23 Jan.1865
BIRCH, JOHN L.		10 Jan.1861 - 23 Jan.1865
HILL, GREENE		10 Jan.1861 - 1863
FEAGIN, GEORGE W.T.		7 Feb.1863 - 23 Jan.1865
HOSE, J. H.		23 Jan.1865 - 1868
GILBERT, J. C.		23 Jan.1865 - 1868
GILES, JOHN NASON	(died)	23 Jan.1865 - 25 May 1866
HOLTZCLAW, HENRY M.		23 Jan.1865 - 1868
STORY, R. E.		23 Jan.1865 - 1868
HOUSER, LEWIS M.		8 Sep.1866 - 1868

CLERKS OF THE INFERIOR COURT OF HOUSTON COUNTY, GEORGIA

KEENER, LAWSON J.	6 Apr.1822 - 23 Apr.1823
CUNYUS, HENRY	23 Apr.1823 - 6 Jan.1826
PATTISHALL, JOSHUA	7 Jan.1830 - 6 Jan.1832
PATTISHALL, JOSHUA	6 Jan.1832 - 8 Mar.1834
PATTISHALL, JOSHUA	8 Mar.1834 - 9 Jan.1836
PATTISHALL, JOSHUA	9 Jan.1836 - 11 Jan.1838
HAN, STEPHEN R.	11 Jan.1838 - 10 Jan.1840
HAN, STEPHEN R.	10 Jan.1840 - 10 Jan.1842
MILLER, WILLIAM H.	10 Jan.1842 - 5 Jan.1844
MILLER, WILLIAM H.	5 Jan.1844 - 13 Jan.1846
MANN, JOEL W.	13 Jan.1846 - 16 Jan.1848
MANN, JOEL W.	16 Jan.1848 - 12 Jan.1850
MOORE, THOMAS J.	12 Jan.1850 - 10 Jan.1852
HULSEY, ELIJAH M.	10 Jan.1852 - 10 Jan.1854
JOBSON, JOHN S.	10 Jan.1854 - 12 Jan.1856
KING, J. H.	9 Jan.1858 - 10 Jan.1860
KILLEN, THOMAS M.	10 Jan.1860 - 10 Jan.1861
JACKSON, EDWARD	10 Jan.1861 - 23 Jan.1863
JACKSON, EDWARD	23 Jan.1863 - 10 Feb.1864
JACKSON, EDWARD	10 Feb.1864 - 22 Jan.1866
JACKSON, EDWARD	22 Jan.1866 -

ADAMS, WILLIAM
13 Jan.1827, (P) 9 Apr.1827, p12. Bequeath to his children: JOEL, PATSY, ABEY, JERRY, NELLY & ELIJAH ADAMS, each a heifer yearling. To GINNEY JYNERS, for her lifetime use, all his household & kitchen furniture, plantation tools, stock of cattle, hogs, black blind man, and all his land in this county except lot #15 in 9th Dist., to go to JERRY ADAMS and 50 acres in north end of said lot go go to HENRY GRIFFIN. JOEL ADAMS to have his rifle and JERRY ADAMS his shotgun. Exc: not named. Wit: ABAGAIL (X) GRIFFIN, THOMAS (X) ADAMS, and ELIJAH E. CROCKER.

AMMONS, STEPHEN
Not dated, (P) 8 Jul.1851 in Crawford County, GA, p276. Gave to his wife of nine years, NANCY AMMONS, one year provisions, bed and stead, clothing, two chests, table and three chairs, potware, cooking ware, etc. To his five oldest children, one dollar each, viz: JESSE AMMONS, JOSIAH AMMONS, HANNAH DUNCAN, SARAH CLARK, and NANCY CLARK. To his youngest son STEPHEN AMMONS, a promisary note for $300 by JOEL WALKER due 5 Dec. next. Exc: JOSEPH WALKER. Wit: NAPOLEON B. CORBIN, J. J. RICKS, WILLIAM R. PERRY (who testified in Crawford County Inferior Court on 19 May 1851). Appraisers: JAMES MONTGOMERY, DAVID BALLORD, PERRY C. CARR, WEST W. STEPHENS, and JOHN B. LUCAS appointed by the Nov. 1851 term of Inferior Court, Crawford County. (NOTE: This last action mentioned JOEL WALKER as executor, therefore JOEL and JOSEPH WALKER may be identical).

ANDERSON, THOMAS W.
20 Jun.1843, (P) Not dated, Twiggs County, GA, (R) 25 Sep.1843, p185. Bequeath to children "of my first marriage", LAMUEL FAIRCHILD ANDERSON, SARAH MAY ANDERSON, MARGARET ELIZABETH ANDERSON, and WILLIAM FRANCES ANDERSON, the following negroes: Israel, Willaby, Rosetta, Peter, Frank, Nancy, Emma, Rosabella, Kit, Robert, Adam, and Lydia. To children of "my last wife", GEORGE HIPP ANDERSON, SUSAN FRANCES ANDERSON, and CHRISTOPHER B. COWEN ANDERSON, the following negroes: Lupo, Louisa, Tel--cus, Cherry, Ginny, Charles, Maria, Jane, and Sarah. To CHARLES BARDEN and CATHERINE BUNN one bed and furniture each. He appointed MARCUS H. BUNN as guardian of the children of his last wife and THOMAS JOHNSON CATO as guardian of the children of his first wife. Exc: MARCUS H. BUNN and THOMAS J. CATO. Wit: ISIAH ALLAMAY, EZEKIEL EVANS, and LEVI EZELL.

BALDWIN, JOHN
8 Aug.1825, (P) 8 Nov.1825, (R) 6 Feb.1828, p10. Provided that his estate be divided among his six children, MADISON BALDWIN, WASHINGTON BALDWIN, MOSES (name added above the line), FRANKLIN BALDWIN, JACKSON BALDWIN, and MARTHA BALDWIN, as directed by the laws of this state for the distribution of intestate estates. Exc: Friends JACOB DUNN, JOHN STAPLES, and son MADISON BALDWIN. Wit: WILSON COLLINS, IRA SCOTT, and TUTTLE H. MORELAND.

BALL, WILLIAM
Not dated, (P) 6 Mar.1837, p104. To son WILLIAM B. BALL, negroes Charlott, Adam, Andrew, and Ann. To son JAMES G.M. BALL, negroes Becky, Jack, Tom and Jackson. To dau. ELIZABETH J. ALLEN, negroes Jacob, Nancy, Abram, and Lucy who are to be held in trust by WILLIAM B. and JAMES G.M. BALL. To dau. AMANDA M. LACKEY, negroes M--, Rachel, and Ben. Wife (not named) to have negro Will. He desired that remainder of property be held togeather until marriage or death of wife or dau. SARAH ANN. Exc: Sons WILLIAM B. BALL and JAMES G. M. BALL. Wit: MORGAN GILES, LEROY (X) MIMS, and SEABORN C. BRYAN, JP.

BARDEN, SIMON
24 Jan.1838, (P) 30 Jan.1838, p124x. Bequeath to wife MARTHA BARDEN, for her natural life, 100 acres in the fork of Jones Creek, a beach north of my dwelling house, and bounded on the west by lands of JAMES PRATT, and being parts of lots #111 & #112, 13th Dist. Also gave to wife, negroes Tenor age 25 and her son York age 3 mos., some livestock, household & kitchen furniture, and provisions for 1 year. On wife's death the above property to be divided between his two son's BRUNSON and ARTHUR BARDEN and SALLY WALDIN. To dau. LAVINA THOMPSON negroes Martha age 5, Sally age 6, and $50. He loaned LAVINA three negroes for her lifetime: Harriet age 30, Bob age 3, and Saney age 1, which on her death go to son's BRUNSON and ARTHUR BARDEN and SALLY WALDIN. To son's BRUNSON and ARTHUR BARDEN and SALLY WALDIN, negroes: Harry age 50, Beatsy age 50, Lucy age 15, Amy age 12, and blind Harriet age 30 to be equally divided between them. To son BRUNSON and SALLY WALDIN, 175 acres in lot #112, 13th Dist. on south side of Jones Creek. Exc: ARTHUR BARDEN and GREEN WALDIN. Wit: CHARLES PATTILLO, JAMES PRATT, and HENRY (X) NOWELS.

BARR, JOHN
9 Nov.1828, (P) 2 Mar.1829, p14. He provided that after his death and wife's death, son THOMAS G. BARR to receive half of lot #235, 10th Dist. To wife (not named) a horse, all plantation tools, cattle, hogs, present crop of corn and potatoes, and all household furniture. Exc: Sons ROGER D. BARR and THOMAS G. BARR. Wit: THOMAS GILBERT, REDDICK T. BRYAN, and ELIZABETH S. BRYAN.

BARRON, WILLIAM

4 Aug.1851, (P) 8 Sep.1851, p258. Bequeathed to his wife NICY the south half of land lot #250, one negro man March about 55, a negro woman Vilot about 50, one mare, one colt, three cows and calves, ten meat hogs, one sow and pigs, three beds and furniture, and some kitchen furniture. To son JAMES the south half of land lot #213, and $150. To son THOMAS the north half of land lot #250 and Assrel about age 29. To son WILLIAM A. BARRON the north half of land lot #213, one sorrel filly, a negro boy Harry age 21. To dau. MATILDA HOLTON $50. To grand-dau. SUSAN A. REBECCA $25. Exc: Wife NICY and friend DREWRY W. TAYLOR. Wit: ALLEN P. SPRADLEY, MATHEW SHEPPEARD, and WILLIAM C. TAYLOR.

BATEMAN, BRYAN Sr.

28 Nov.1843 (P) Jul.1845 Term, p201. Bequeathed to his wife CHARITY "to hold my settlement of land where I now live", lots #117, #118, ½ of #100, and ¼ of hundred right in the 6th Dist., during her life or widowhood, after which to my three youngest sons: BARTLEY M. BATEMAN; BRYAN BATEMAN; and JOHN BATEMAN, each having an equal undivided interest. Wife also to receive negroes: George, Ransom, Dick, Ellick, Harriet, and her child Jane, plus a number of farm animals & stock, utensils, furniture and provisions, all for her life or widowhood. Should she remarry, she may retain a less number of above until her death, then items to be sold and divided among my nine children: WILLIAM M. BATEMAN; SEABORN BATEMAN; MARY VINSON; CHARITY MILLS; BARTLEY BATEMAN; BRYAN BATEMAN; CLAIBORNE BATEMAN; SEABORN BATEMAN interest for MARTHINA HUNT; and JOHN BATEMAN. Also to wife CHARITY in lieu of dowry, an afflicted boy Henry. Wife to have right to say which negroes to be sold when executor determines such is necessary. To son THEOPHILUS BATEMAN cash and personal property valued at $750. To son WILLIAM M. BATEMAN negro Caroline and as Trustee for my dau. MARY VINSON negro Winney and $100 cash. To son CLAIBORNE BATENAN negro boy Jam, lot and house occupied by him on road from Macon to Travelers Rest plus farm animals and stock. To son SEABORN BATEMAN negro girl Elisy and $20 cash, and as Trustee for my dau. MARTHINA HUNT negro Rose and her four children Wyat, Sarah, Orange and Erasman, and as Trustee for my dau. CHARITY MILLS negroes Frank and Morris and $100 cash. To son BARTLEY M. BATEMAN negro boy Clark. To son BRYAN BATEMAN negro boy Ned. To son JOHN BATEMAN negro boy David. He named the following friends to determine his estate worth: HUGH LAWSON, DAVID AVERA, JAMES HOLDERNESS, JAMES M. KELLY, and SOLOMON FUDGE. Exc: Sons WILLIAM M. BATEMAN and SEABORN BATEMAN. Wit: DAVID AVERA, JAMES AVERA, and DANIEL B. O'SULLIVAN. (NOTE: BRYAN BATEMAN married CHARITY McCRARY on 21 Jan.1808 in Baldwin County, GA)

BATEY, CATHARINE (her x mark)

24 Jun.1842, (P) 5 Jul.1842, p158. To dau. NANCY one negro woman Kitty and one loom. To dau. CATHARINE one bed and bedstead, one side saddle, and one cow and calf. Remainder of his property to his two sons ROBERT and JAMES and dau. ELIZABETH. ELIZABETH's part to remain in her brothers hands until she becomes of age. Exc: Friend WILLIAM HADDOCK. Wit: JOHN C. WEST and JOSEPH N. CARR.

BRUNSON, DANIEL

31 Jan.1831, (P) 5 Sep.1831, (R) 8 Sep.1831, p69. To heirs of his dau. SARAH CUNYERS dec., $150 to remain in hands of my executor until they become of age. To granddau. RACHEL REBECCA BRUNSON $150, bed and furniture. To son WILLIAM BRUNSON, dau. ELIZABETH BRUNSON, and dau. MARY BRUNSON, each a horse worth $50 to $60 and a bed. Remaining property real and personal to be equally divided between DAVID BRUNSON, CHARLOTTE BATEMAN, WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, ELIZABETH S. BRUNSON and MARY BRUNSON, but not (with some exceptions provided to executors) during the life of his wife FRANCES BRUNSON. Exc: Sons DAVID BRUNSON and WILLIAM BRUNSON, and SIMON BATEMAN. Wit: ALEX SMITH, DAVID WATSON, and FREDERICK WATSON, Jr. (NOTE: DANIEL BRUNSON a Revolutionary Soldier was son of ISAAC & MARY BRUNSON of Williamsburg County, SC. DANIEL's wife was FRANCES STANTON. They were in Jefferson County, GA in 1800, Washington County, GA in 1805, and Twiggs Co., GA in 1818.)

BURGAY, JOHN (his x mark)

13 Jan.1853, (P) No date, p287. To his wife REBECCA he gave land lot #199 in lower 5th District containing 202½ acres, fifty acres of land lot #192, a negro woman Lucy age 40, and a new Rockaway or Carriage. To his dau. FRANCES, the wife of GEORGE BENTON, who was "born to me" by a former marriage, his negro man Sam. Also to wife REBECCA all other property both real and personal including negroes, horses, mules, cattle, hogs, household and kitchen furniture, farming tools and implements, and crops. Exc: Wife REBECCA and her father GILLIE WRIGHT. Wit: PETER B. HUMPHRIES, GEORGE F. COOPER, JULIUS C. GILBERT and REUBEN FITZGERALD.

BURNSIDES, JAMES

29 Nov.1851, (P) Feb.term 1852, p274. To dau. SARAH GRACE, wife of THADEUS GRACE, $5. To dau. CATHARINE HOBBS, wife of WILLIAM HOBBS, $5. To dau. MALINDA SUMMERFORD, wife of JAMES SUMMERFORD, $5. To son MATHEW BURNSIDES, $5. To his two sons JAMES M. and ALEXANDER P. and his two dau's. MARTHA JANE and ANGELINE, all the rest of his property, real and personal, consisting of land lots #180 and #205 in the 14th Dist., all household and kitchen furniture, horses, cattle, and hogs, etc. Exc: Son JAMES M. BURNSIDES. Wit: DAVID M. BROWN, AXIOM S. ALFORD, ZACHARAH FEDDER, and OSBORN JONES.

CHANCE, SIMPSON (his x mark)
29 Mar.1837, (P) 1 Jan.1838, p106. To wife MARGARET CHANCE, for her natural life, land lot #237 and adjoining lot #212 in the 14th Dist., some farm animals, household & kitchen furniture, negroes Patrick, Elirma, & Jack. On wife's death the above to be divided between children of his dau. SARAH JONES. To son JAMES CHANCE, negroes Esquire & Lydia, and land lot #266 in the 14th Dist. To son ISAAC CHANCE, negroes Richmond, Jinney, and 40 acres "I drew" in late land lottery. To grandson AUSBORN JONES son of SARAH, one horse and some yearlings. To grandchildren of deceased dau. MARGARET MANN, negroes Sally and her children Nancy & Mariah. To dau. MALINDA JONES $100. To children of dau. ELIZABETH RAWLS $10. Exc: JAMES CHANCE and friend HENRY B. HATHAWAY. Wit: EDWARD G. BROWN, JOHN D. GILLETT, and LEGRAND GUERRY. A codial also dated 29 Mar.1837 made minor changes to above Will "now in hands of HENRY B. HATHAWAY". Wit: BENJAMIN A. THARP, JOHN D. GILLETT, and JAMES HINE.

CHASTAIN, ALLEN B.
3 Oct.1847, (P) 1 Nov.1847, p234. Gave one fourth of his estate to his sister BERSHEBA HOSE. To his brother WILLIAM CHASTAIN one fourth of his estate. To his brother JOHN W. CHASTAIN one fourth of his estate. To his brothers WILLIAM CHASTAIN and JOHN W. CHASTAIN one fourth of his estate for the sole use of his brother JAMES CHASTAIN. He further provided that his executor determine the best way to divide his estate in the interest of all legatees. Exc: Brothers WILLIAM CHASTAIN and JOHN W. CHASTAIN. Wit: ELI WARREN, P.B.D.H. CULLER, JAMES TURRENTINE, and JOEL W. MANN.

CHEWNING, DAVID (his x mark)
25 Sep.1832, (P) 28 Jan.1833, p81. To dau. ELIZA CHEWNING negroes Aggy and Jenny. To dau. PERMELIA RUTLIN a negro girl Mary. To dau. AMANDA MANSON negro Bidy. To son JOHN CHEWNING, 150 acres to be taken from land lot #154 in the 11th Dist., and balance of said lot to go to son DAVID H. CHEWNING. He mentioned having already given son WILLIAM I.V. CHEWNING money to purchase one half of lot #213 in the 12th Dist., and then left him $15. Exc: None named. Wit: CREED T. WOODSON, FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, and McKINNEY HOWELL.

CHRISTMAS, MOSES (his x mark)
27 May 1818, (P) 24 May 1819 Sumpter Dist., SC, (R) 29 Nov.1827, p8. Bequeathed to his wife SARAH CHRISTMAS all household and kitchen furniture, his mare, and use of his plantation during her widowhood. To his four children CHARLOTTE, SARAH, ELIZA, and MOSES, his plantation, negroes, and estate residue. Exc: Friend GABRIEL CAPEN. Wit: JOSEPH SALLIMAN, EPAY (his x mark) CHRISTMAS, and SAMUEL MURRELL.

CLARK, DANIEL (his x mark)
4 Jun.1831, (P) 5 Jul.1831, (R) 7 Sep.1831, p62. To his wife SARAH CLARK, for her natural life; negroes Anthony, Caudis, and Randy, farm animals, plantation tools, the plantation "where I now live", and 150 acres on south line of lot #38 in 5th Dist. He acknowledged receipt of $500 from his children: WILLIAM JAMES, DRURY, FRANCES, MARGARET, DANIEL, SAMUEL, MARTHA, JOHN G., WILEY, SARAH, HILDRED JUDGE, and MARY CAROLINE. He in turn bequeath to son WILLIAM JAMES 50 acres of SE corner of land lot #14, 5th Dist., and 50 acres of lot #38 where the son now lives. To son DRURY negro Moses. To dau. FRANCES negro boy Clim. To dau. MARGARET negro boy Calsp. To son DANIEL negro girl Amy. To son SAMUEL negro girl Mariah. To dau. MARTHA negro girl Sylvey. To son JOHN negro boy Ben. To son WILEY negro boy Arch. To dau. SARAH negro girl Liz. To son HILDRED JUDGE negro girl Luzie. To dau. MARY CAROLINE negro girl Lulian. To son DRURY CLARK six acres of lot #14 in 5th Dist., lying on the north part where he now lives. Exc: Wife SARAH CLARK, and JOSHUA PATTISHALL. Wit: SCARBOROUGH REMBERT, THOMAS DOLES, and SARAH (her x mark) CHRISTMAS.

CLARK, DAVID
10 May 1851, (P) 7 Jun.1853, p290. He desired that his farming interests be kept togeather under control of his wife LUCRETIA, and a suitable manager hired until his son COLUMBUS comes of lawful age. COLUMBUS then to receive $2,000, a horse, bridle and saddle, and $100 in property, which equals that already given my first born son JOHN DAVID. To his third born son GEROGE FRANKLIN when he becomes of lawful age the same amount in property as COLUMBUS. Should his wife LUCRETIA again marry, then all land and stock under her control to be sold and she to receive an equal share with his children and his dau. MARY LUCRETIA for her share to recieve $2,500. Exc: Friends Dr. EDWARD T. McGEHEE, LAREY C. MANNING, and HENRY TILL. Wit: JAMES A. STUBBS, W. C. TAYLOR, Z. FEDDER, and DAVID M. BROWN. On 10 May 1851 an indenture between DAVID CLARK and his daughter MARY LUCRETIA was filed with above Will. He granted her the following property to wit: Negro man Jim age 22, negro girl Hatty age 16, negro boy Bob age 8, negro girl Betty age 6, and negro girl Eve age 4. He appointed his son JOHN DAVID CLARK as Trustee. Wit: JAMES A. STUBBS, W. C. TAYLOR. Z. FEDDER, and DAVID M. BROWN.

CLARK, JAMES (his x mark)
19 May 1844, (P) 22 Jun.1844, p195. To his sons-in-law BRYANT LANE, WILEY LANE, LARRY MANNING and his grandchildren JAMES H. WALL, WILLIAM WALL, ELIZA WALL, MARY WALL, and JESSE C. WALL, he gave three negroes Ginsey, Elbert, and Moses (one fourth part to grandchildren and one fourth part to each son-in-law). To his son JAMES DAVID one negro girl Penny, 100 acres of land in the easter half of lot #290, 13th Dist., and one sorrel mare. The rest of his property both real and personal to his wife and younger children

(not named), including MARY T., until youngest child becomes of age or marries, then each child and wife to take an equal share. Exc: Friend JAMES DUNWOODY. Wit: DANIEL M. BRUCE, JOHN J. (his x mark) MORING, and HENRY C. HORNADY. (NOTE: The WALL grandchildren were the children of JESSE WALL, dec., who came from Alabama prior to 1827. The minor children of JAMES CLARK found in Minute Book B, 1836-1852 were: WILLIAM, FRANCIS, NARCISSA, AUGUSTUS HOWARD, CAROLINE, MARY, HENRY, SARAH, and JAMES D.)

COOK, SAMUEL

21 May 1828, (P) 1 Sep.1828 Jones Co., GA, (R) 23 Mar.1830, p26. To his wife SARAH E. COOK for her lifetime or widowhood use, negroes Anna and Ben, the place she now lives. Wife to be in charge of negroes belonging to two youngest sons SAMUEL T. COOK and GEORGE W. COOK. To son WILLIAM W. COOK the profits of Darien Bank Stock for his lifetime support. To dau. CAROLINE C.S. COOK land lot #16 in 9th Dist., of Jones Co., and negroes Frank, Pleasant, Milly, Harriet, Wiley, and Ganies. To dau. POLLY H. HARVEY, his house and lot #20 and gin house in town of Clinton where JOHN HARVEY now lives opposite Louther Mansion, and negroes: Jack, Susan, George, Clara, Matilda, and Nathan. To son ASA B. COOK land lot #15, 9th Dist., of Jones County, near Elam Meeting House, and negroes: Hartwood, Big Sam, Robin, Inda, Litty, and Charles. To dau. MARTHA H. COOK land lot #34 in the 9th Dist., whereon Elam Meeting House now stands, and negroes: Joe, Will, Maria, Levina, Setth, Saria, and Cealey. To son ANDREW J. COOK, land lot #39? in 9th Dist of Jones Co., and negroes: Michael, Big Tom, Ph----, Phetis, Leary, Eli, and Jordan. To son SAMUEL T. COOK negroes: Napper, Harry, Charlotte, Henry, Silvia, Emanuel, Soloman, and Selma, and when of age half of land and plantation where I now live. To son GEORGE W. COOK, negroes: Sam Riz, Jane, Hall & Sarah, and when of age, half of land and plantation where I now live. Exc: Wife SARAH E. COOK, JONATHAN PARISH, ASA B. COOK, and ANDREW J. COOK. Wit: WILLIAM D. BUNKLEY, WILLIAM H. ATWOOD, and JAMES THWEATT. (NOTE: The complete Will, inventory, apprasement and sales of his estate as filed in Jones Co., was copied verbatim and recorded on 30 pages of the Will Book in Houston County on 23 Mar. 1830. The son ASA B. COOK was listed in the 1830 Federal Census for Houston County.)

CULPEPPER, CHARLES

1 Jun.1828, (P) 5 Sep.1831, (R) 8 Sep.1831, p67. To wife RACHEL CULPEPPER, for her natural life, the north half of land lot #20 in 13th Dist., where "he now lives" and other property real and personal. Also negroes Bob, Sarah, Eff, Joshua, Jim, Miriana, and Dave. On wife's death negro Jim to go to LOTT WARREN, and negro Dave to ELI WARREN, and old negroes Bob, Sarah & Eff should have their choice to live with CULPEPPER's or WARREN's. Exc: Wife RACHEL CULPEPPER and ELI WARREN - on wife's death: Brother SAMPSON CULPEPPER and ELI WARREN. Wit: ROBERT W. BASKIN and JOHN M. SMITH, JP.

CULPEPPER, JOSEPH

Not dated, (P) Nov. term 1843, p216. To his dau. EMILY, negro woman Phareby. To son CHARLES S. CULPEPPER, negro woman Minerva and $1200. To dau. ELIZA, negro woman Sarah. To dau. ELEANOR, negro woman Mary plus bed and furniture. To dau. MARTHA, negro woman Ann plus bed and furniture. To son JOSEPH JOHN, negro boy Andrew. To son SAMPSON negro boy Floyd. To son JAMES BASKIN, negro boy Isaiah. To son ROBERT MALLERY, negro boy Austin. To wife MARGARET, his stock, homestead and the west half of land lot holding same until her death or marriage, then reverting to his children. Exc: SAMPSON CULPEPPER and RUEBEN M. HARGROVE. Wit: JAMES HOLMES, CHARLES S. CULPEPPER, and JAMES G. BASKIN.

CULPEPPER, RACHEL

16 Aug.1832, (P) 10 Sep.1832, p75. To her brother-in-law JOSEPH HILL of Wilkinson County all her land consisting of two tracts of lots in 4th Dist., of Wilkinson County, plus $72. To her brother LOTT WARREN of Twiggs County, negro Joshua. To her brother ELI WARREN of Laurens County, negro Miriam. Brother LOTT & ELI to pay the sum of $350 for negroes of which $100 to go to brother KITTREL WARREN, $100 to sister SALLY SCARBOROUGH, $78 to cousin ELIZABETH GILBERT "now living with me", and $72 to brother-in-law JOSEPH HILL. She also made bequeaths to nephew ABRAHAM M. SCARBOROUGH, brothers JOSEPH CULPEPPER and SAMPSON CULPEPPER, sisters SALLY SCARBOROUGH, POLLY HILL, and PATSEY WARREN. Exc: Brother ELI WARREN. Wit: JAMES S. BASKIN, CHARLES F. PATILLO, and JOHN M. SMITH, JP.

CUTTS, JOSEPH (his x mark)

25 Nov.1832, (P) 9 Sep.1833, p87. To his wife MARY CUTTS, 60 acres of land in 13th Dist., along Jones Creek on the west line of Lot #141, certain farm animals, household and kitchen furniture. To dau. MARY RATLIFF, son ELISHA CUTTS, and dau. NANCY HILYARD, $50 each. Other money to be divided between ELISHA CUTTS children, ELIZABETH CARRELL's children, SARAH SMITH's children, PHOEBE WATSON's children, and WILLIAM CUTTS children. Exc: NATHAN F. HOOKER, and JAMES H. KILLEN. Wit: LOVERD PEARCE, JEREMIAH CUTTS, and JAMES PARKER Jr.

DANIEL, CURTIS

23 Dec.1851, (P) June term 1852, p283. To his son CURTIS DANIEL, land lot #9 containing 100 acres and part of #10 on south side of Beaver Creek, and a negro woman Susan about 22. He is to take my dau. PENNY and take care of her for her natural life. Within 12 months after receipt of land and negro he is to pay my dau. NANCY, $100. To son NOAH DANIEL, land lot #31 in 24th Dist., of Cherokee County. To dau. PENNY, one bed and furniture. To MARCUS BUNN, the money from my present crop of cotton. The balance of his

estate to be sold and money equally divided between his son ROBERT DANIEL, dau. MARTHA OPRY, and dau. NANCY SINGLETON. Exc: Friend THOMAS POLLOCK. Wit: RICHARD S. FARR, WILLIAM SINGLETON, JOHN KIRKLAND, and ROBERT (his x mark) OPRY.

DENNARD, SHADRACK (his D mark)
1 Dec.1837, (P) 2 May 1838, p121. He provided that all property not listed below be sold and divided into seven parts with one part each going to: wife NANCY DENNARD; dau. NARCISSA McKENSIE; dau. LOUISA REESE; dau. LINNY GRAHAM; dau. ALLIFAIR BEALL; dau. MARY HARVEY and her children ALFRED HARVEY and MARY JANE HARVEY to be paid ALFRED R. HARVEY as trustee for his mother MARY HARVEY and sister MARY JANE HARVEY; and to grandchildren GEORGE F. SPANN, AUGUSTUS SPANN, VESSENOY DEVERAUX, and LOUISA SPANN to be paid GEORGE F. SPANN as trustee for his said brothers and sisters. To wife NANCY DENNARD he gave negroes Harriet, Romallis, and Andrew and on her death Romallis goes to grandson SHADRACK S.G. McKENSIE. To dau. NARCISSA McKENSIE he gave negroes Sellars, Peter, and Caroline and he appointed DAVID GRAHAM of Dooly County as her trustee. To his little grandson JOHN C. REESE and SHADRACK S.G. McKENSIE each a colt. He provided that negro woman Edy and her four children Emaline, Georgeann, Cordellia, and Jane be sold together. He appointed friends JAMES M. KELLY, HUGH LAWSON, and JOHN E. DENNARD to settled any disputes in his estate. Exc: Sons-in-law DAVID GRAHAM of Dooly County, GA and CHARLES C. BEALL of Wilkinson County, GA. Wit: JAMES HOLDERNESS, JGDALIAH WOOD, and WILLIAM H. RUDD.

DOLES, THOMAS
10 Feb.1842, (P) Not dated, p191. Bequeathed to wife MARY DOLES, 33 acres in the NW corner of land lot #70 of 5th Dist., and selection of one horse, one cow & calf, one sow and pigs, and a selection of household & kitchen furniture for her natural life, then proceeds of above to be equally divided between children of his three daughters: PATSEY WILSHER, JINSEY WINDHAM, and SARAH GRICE. To children of son JOSIAH DOLES by his present wife MARTHA W. DOLES his two negroes Willis and Cooper. To children of his son JOHN DOLES by his present wife VICEY, negro Adams, the western half of land lot #60 in the 5th Dist. He stated his desire to grant negro Judy her freedom but since it cannot be accomplished without legislative approval, she to go to granddaughter BETSEY of his son JOHN and his wife VICEY. The resude of his estate to be sold and proceeds divided into equal parts for the children of his dau. PATSEY by present husband JERRY WILSHER, the children of his dau. JINSEY by her present husband REUBIN WINDHAM, and the children of his dau. SARAH by her present husband WILLIAM GRICE. Exc: Son JOSIAH DOLES, and Rev. JOHN FULWOOD. Wit: STEPHEN BASSETT, JOHN M. JOHN, and WILLIAM SEGO.

DOZIER, JAMES C.
10 Mar.1836, (P) 3 Nov.1840, p140. To his wife SARAH DOZIER, after payment of just debts, all land, negroes (not named), horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, household and kitchen furniture and ready cash for life. Exc: Wife SARAH DOZIER. Wit: MILLEDGE STEVENS, JAMES H. SMITH, and ROBERT HODGES.

DUPREE, JEREMIAH
9 Apr.1834, (P) 22 Oct.1838, p126x. To wife NELLY DUPREE for her lifetime use, the west half of lot #214, 10th Dist., three negroes Zenith, Daniel, and Isham, a horse and mare, household and kitchen furniture, plantation tools, etc. On wife's death: dau. NANCY WORTHY to receive the negro woman Zenith; son WILLIAM H. DUPREE to receive the negro boy Isham; son DANIEL DUPREE to receive the negro man Daniel; and grandson JEREMIAH HENRY DUPREE the son of SIMON DUPREE to receive the west half of lot #214, 10th Dist. To son SIMON DUPREE a negro man Jacob and land lot #182, 10th Dist., containing 202½ acres. To dau. ELIZABETH PAIN a negro girl Phillis. To dau. POLLY HARVY, $5. All property already given to my children to wit: TABITHA TOMBERLINSON, SAMUEL DUPREE and IRA E. DUPREE, is hereby confirmed to them. Wife NELLY DUPREE to receive the residue of his estate. Exc: Sons IRA E. DUPREE, WILLIAM H. DUPREE, and SIMON DUPREE. Wit: JAMES M. KELLY, F. W. JOBSON, ALEXANDER SMITH, and JOSHUA PATTISHALL. The executors oath was administered to IRA E. DUPREE on 7 Jan.1839.

DUPREE, WILLIAM H.
9 Jun.1836 Twiggs County but a resident of Houston, (P) 10 Sep.1836, p102. Provided that his estate remain in common for use of wife and children until death of his wife REBECCA DUPREE, then the following daughters to receive one-fifth part each: SARAH ANN GREGORY, VANEY JORDAN ROCKMORE, ELIZA BOYKIN, ELENOR HUFF LOFTON, and JAMISE ANN DUPREE. Exc: Brother IRA E. DUPREE. Wit: HENRY BUNN, THOMAS J. JOHNSON, JOHN G. SLAPPY, and THORNTON PERRY.

EDWARDS, WILSON
14 May 1828, (P) 7 Jul.1828, (R) 8 Jul.1828, p13. Gave to ALLEN SUTTON one half of lant lot #29 in the 11th Dist. Exc: Not named. Wit: DUNCAN NICHOLSON, LEARY STANLEY, and MEREDITH JOINER.

ENGRAM, EDWARD
15 Aug.1843, (P) 25 Nov.1843, p176. To wife ELIZABETH: Land lot #271 in the 13th Dist., "where I now live"; Negroes Alfred, Stephen, Nancy, Lettica, and Dopkna her child; household furniture; cotton gin; and a large stock of named farm animals until her intermarriage, death, or time son SEABORN T. ENGRAM becomes of age. Other minor children named were WILLIAM F. ENGRAM, EDWARD W. ENGRAM, and AMANDA C. ENGRAM. To son ROBERT N.

ENGRAM land lot #48 in 14th Dist., except a small enclosed portion under cultivation in NE corner, and negro Henry. To son JAMES ENGRAM land lot #36 in 10th Dist., and a partical of land in Sec 3, 20th Dist of original Cherokee County known by #456, and negro Ransom. To son JOHN ENGRAM, land lot #7 in 11th Dist., of Dooly County and negroes Edward, Mary and her child Martha. To dau. ELIZA WALDEN, negro Chancy and her child Caroline. To dau. ELIZABETH SMITH, negro women Holland and Phillis. To grandchildren MARY JANE and CHARLTON C., children of son OLIVER C. ENGRAM, negro Sandy, a legacy bequeathed by "my brother" JOHN ENGRAM late of Lenoir County, NC due me by his executor amounting to $500, and $200 from sale of my property. To son HENRY ENGRAM negroes Charles, Maria, and child Bob. To son SEABORN T. ENGRAM the east half of land lot #17 in 14th Dist., partical of land lot #48 in 14th Dist., not given to my son ROBERT, land lot #317 and 7/8 th of the west fourth of lot #315, both in 13th Dist., negroes Andrew, Jedia, and her child Peny, and a small child Sally, plus gin gear, farm animals and furniture. To son WILLIAM F. ENGRAM land lot #275 and north half of lot #276 in 13th Dist., negroes Ceasor, John, and Harriet, plus farm animals and furniture. To son EDWARD ENGRAM land lot #221 in 13th Dist after wife's termination, land lot #226 in 13th Dist., negroes Camp, Anset and her two children Winny & Lotty, Tamar, and Ceily, plus farm animals and furniture. To dau. AMANDA C. ENGRAM negroes Vesti and her child Prince, a boy Philip and a girl Malinda, plus farm animals and furniture. To son OLIVER C. ENGRAM, a horse. He made lengthy and detailed procedures for his executor control over the property of his wife and minor children, the selling of crops, negroes, stock, etc., not otherwise bequeathed, and the money therefrom to be divided between wife ELIZABETH and following children: ROBERT, JAMES, JOHN, ELIZA, ELIZABETH, HENRY I., SEABORN, WILLIAM, EDWARD, AMANDA, and two grandchildren CHARLTON C. and MARY JANE children of OLIVER C. (one share), but JAMES to have 1/16th part of products grown on both his plantations during present year for his service as my Overseer. Exc: CHARLES WEST Sr. Wit: JAMES HOLDERNESS, JOHN LAIDLER, and SETH (X) BARNES. (NOTE: This entry condensed from 10 pages of the Will Book)

EVERETT, JAMES A.

8 May 1848, (P) 24 Jul.1848, p220. Bequeathed to wife MARY BEAUFORD, $15,000 for purchase of negroes by his executor for her lifetime use. An unusal provision provided for her to retain the negroes even if remarring and going to the children of that marriage on her death. Friend ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK appointed Trustee for property bequeathed to wife. To children of his deceased brother CHARLES EVERETT, the sum of $5,000 to be divided equally. To the three daughters whose names "I do not know" of his sister PATSEY BYNUM, the sum of $1,000 each, for purchase of negroes by his executor. Their brother SUGARS BYNUM appointed Trustee. To nephew SUGARS BYNUM, son of his deceased sister PATSEY BYNUM the sum of $5,000 for layout of negroes by his executor. To nephew GEORGE C. EVERETT, the sum of $2,500. To nephew TURNER C. EVERETT, the sum of $3,000 in addition to the $2,000 I heretofore give him. To Reverent REUBEN H. LUCKEY, the sum of $1,000. To nephews JAMES M. EVERETT and CHARLES H. EVERETT, the sum of $1,000 each. To sister-in-law ELIZABETH GREENE, the sum of $4,000 for purchase of negroes by his executor, with TURNER C. EVERETT appointed Trustee. To brothers-in-law WILLIAM and PETER B. GREENE the sum of $4,000 each, to be invested in negroes for them by his executor. To brother-in-law MYLES L. GREEN, the sum of $2,000 in addition to the $2,000 already given him. To mother-in-law Mrs. SARAH W. KAIGLER, the sum of $2,000, his gold spectacles, and use for her life of negroes Early, Caroline, Burwell, Yatnall, and Jerry. To the Methodist Episcopal Church South, the sum of $2,000 for benefit of the mission in the Creek Nation - to be paid to the Reverent Bishops JAMES O. ANDREW and JOSHUA SOULE. To old friend Rev. JAMES DUNWOODY, the sum of $500 for purchase of a negro by his executor. To old friend Rev. JOHN FULWOOD, the sum of $500 for purchase of a negro by his executor. To CHARLEY HARRELL and SARAH HARRELL, the sum of $100. To Mrs. MARY MATHIS, widow of ISHAM MATHIS, deceased, the sum of $24 annually for her natural life. To the Foreigh Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church South the sum of $150 annually. To the Domestic Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church South the sum of $150 annually. To his sons JAMES A. and HENRY P., he gave his Hogcrawl Plantation and land attached to be equally divided. To his five children JAMES A., HENRY PETER, SARAH E., ANN E., and THEODOCIA all his remaining property, real and personal to be divided equally, with TURNER C. EVERETT appointed Trustee for property of his three daughters. Exc: Friends TURNER C. EVERETT, MYLES L. GREENE, and ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK. Wit: HARDY HUNTER, W. H. HOLLINSHEAD, and ALLEN WIGGINS. Cordicil to Will dated 20 Jun.1848: To brother-in-law MYLES L. GREENE, the sum of $1,000 in addition to sum in my last (original) Will. Wit: ALLEN WIGGINS, J. A. KENDRICK , and WILLIAM J. ANDERSON. (NOTE: This entry condensed from 11 pages of the Will Book)

FAGAN, HENRY

23 Mar.1842, (P) Sep. term 1842, p163. Provided his estated, personal and real, money, etc., be kept togeather and managed by his executor for benefit of his wife and children (not named), so long as his wife lives or remains a widow or as his children arrive of age. He made other detailed provision in event of wife's intermarriage. Exc: Wife, MISSOURY FAGAN and JOHN H. THOMAS. Wit: STEPHEN CASTELLOW, GEORGE W. SCARBOROUGH, and D. McLENDON.

FARLESS, ABAGAIL (her x mark)

20 Sep.1837, (P) 18 Jan.1850, p257. Gave to SERENAY GREEN BOZEMAN, all her property real and personal, including the west half of land lot #215 and 50 acres in NW corner of land lot #230, 6th Dist., after the lifetime use of said property by ALYATHANY HODGES.

Exc: Not named. Wit: WILLIAM AVERY, JAMES VINSON, and JAS. W. BATEMAN JP.

FLINT, IRA H.
6 Dec.1836 Clark County, (P) 16 Feb.1837 Clark County, (R) 6 Mar.1837 Houston Co., p116. He was a resident of Houston County, GA and bequeath his estate to his mother OLIVE FLINT of Vermont but should she die before receiving same, he bequeath his estate to his brother ALVIN FLINT. Exc: Friend JGDALIAH WOOD of Houston County. Wit: LINDSEY DURHAM, MILLEDGE S. DURHAM, and JOHN H. LOWE Sr., all of Clark County, GA.

FLOWERS, RHODA (her + mark)
9 Aug.1849, (P) 10 Sep.1849, p261. Provided that her dau. MARTHA be placed in the care and under the control of ISAAC LOFTEN, and gave her a negro woman Lucy and one-third of her perishable estate. To sons THOMAS and JOHN FLOWERS, each one-third of her perishable estate. To son JESSE FLOWERS and dau. CLARKEY DUKET, her home and lot in East Macon after paying $10 to her son DAVID FLOWERS. Exc: Friend ISAAC LOFTEN. Wit: ROBERT C. BRYAN, MARCUS H. BUNN, and ISAAC LOFTEN.

FINLEY, ELIJAH (his + mark)
9 Jul.1849, (P) 10 Sep.1849, p264. Bequeath to wife ANNIS FINLEY, his whole estate for her natural life or widowhood to provide and educate his children. At wife's death or intermarriage, his estate to be divided equally by his executor between his children, MAJOR EUBANKS WILKINS, MARY WILKINS, JAMES FINLEY, WEATHY ANN FINLEY, and SARAH JANE FINLEY. Exc: Wife ANNIS and friends JOSIAH HODGES, and DAVID ADAMS. Wit: WILLIAM BARTON, ROLEN MERCER, and THOMAS POLLOCK.

GOMER, SARAH (her X mark)
1 Jan.1842, (P) 23 May 1843, p188. Gave to her brother MILES HARRELL all her papers and money, negro Aggy plus her increase except her child Nelson and after her brothers death to his son ROBERT HARRELL. To her brother-in-law DAVID GOODMAN and his wife MARY two feather beds and furniture, three trunks, and negro boy Nelson. Exc: Brother MILES HARRELL. Wit: JOHN W. BABB and ALEX. EVERETT.

GRACE, JAMES (his x mark)
2 Jan.1849, (P) 5 Mar.1849, p242. To his dau. FAMA McWILLIAMS the sum of $50. To his wife ELIZABETH, one-third of land lot #331, 13th Dist., including the open land and houses and $400 in notes for her natural life or until remarriage, at which time the property and notes to be divided equally among his four children. The balance of real estate and personal property in Houston County including three negroes, hogs, cattle, horses, etc to be equally divided among his four children, MARY McNEESE, MARTHA WEST, MATHEW GRACE, and THOMAS GRACE. Exc: Son MATHEW GRACE and son-in-law EMANUEL McNEESE. Wit: JOHN LAIDLER, JOEL W. MANN, GEORGE F. COOPER Sr., GEORGE F. COOPER Jr., and ELI WARREN.

GRACE, THOMAS F.
26 Jun.1853, (P) Not dated, p285. To wife ELIZABETH JANE, during her natural life, eight acres in NW corner of land lot #166, 13th Dist., all household and kitchen furniture. To son WILLIAM W. my gold watch or in event of his death to son JOHN H. Provided for his executor to hire out all negroes until son JOHN H. becomes age 21 and then make an equal division between his wife ELIZABETH JANE and his two sons WILLIAM W., and JOHN H. Also provided for his executor to sell all other land and personal property. He appointed his friend NEEDHAM T. JOHNSON as Guardian for his two sons WILLIAM W., and JOHN H. Exc: Friend NEEDHAM T. JOHNSON. Wit: D. W. TAYLOR, WILLIAM H. HOLMES, WILLI F. GRIFFIN, and ROBERT O. HOLTON.

GRADDY, ARTHUR
8 May 1826, (P) 25 Jan.1827, p7. To son WINSTON GRADDY a certain bay stud horse. Any property not heretofore covered by a deed gift to be equally divided among my children (not named). Exc: My two sons WINSTON GRADDY and W. GRADDY. Wit: EDWARD STAFFORD, JAMES CHANCE, and RATLIFF ECKELS.

HAMLIN, JOHN E.
29 Jun.1853, (P) Not dated, p316. To his sister HARRIET C. HAMLIN all money, notes, and accounts. To his mother his traveling trunk. To his brother WILLIAM E. HAMLIN his saddle, bridle, martingales, wearing apparel, and books. Exc: Brother WILLIAM E. HAMLIN. Wit: CREED T. WILLIAMS, ALLEN (x) WILLIAMS, and H. J. LAMAR.

HANCOCK, JOSEPH (his X mark)
21 May 1844, (P) 28 Jul.1845, p198. To his wife MARY of 35 years for her lifetime use, land lot #217, 10th Dist., containing 202½ acres. She may choose from my stock, farming utensils, corn & fodder, household and kitchen furniture all she needs and desires, also negroes Fanny age 25, Liddy age 5, Ellick age 4 and a girl infant. After wife's death the negroes shall be equally divided among his children or sold if they can't agree on distribution, and his land and stock to be sold to highest bidder. He desired that his children receive equal proportions of his extate taking into account they have already received the following: JOSIAH J. HANCOCK $525; THOMAS POLLOCK $119. 50; ELIZA JANE $56.50; JOHN M. HANCOCK $290; and JAMES W. HANCOCK $322. JOSIAH J. HANCOCK to be Guardian of dau. NELLY N. HANCOCK. Exc: Sons JOSIAH J. HANCOCK and JAMES W. HANCOCK. Wit: MARCUS H. BUNN, JAMES H. GORDON, and JAS. B. McMURRAY.

HANCOCK, MARGARET

7 Jan.1812 Burke County, GA, (P) Not dated, p96. Deed of Gift to friend GEORGE WALKER of Pulaski County, who intermarried with her niece BETSY WALKER, a negro named Pomssey. To niece BETSY WALKER, negro woman Lucy and her children Celia & Patsy, negro Poll and her two children Peggy and Nelly, and a negro woman Juno. Wit: JOHN FRYER, & THOMAS SANDER of Burke County, GA. (NOTE: This instrument recorded in Burke County, GA, 7 Jan.1812 was entered in Will Book A of Houston County during Jan.Term of Court, 1836, apparently to support the conveyance of negroes in the Will of BETSY WALKER which preceded this entry on page 94.)

HASKINS, HARRISON D.

Mar.1851, (P) Not dated, p309. Bequeath to friend NATHAN G. PHILIPS of New Orleans, LA., his negro woman Sophia age 25 and $500. All his remaining property to be sold by his executor and after payment of just debts, divided equally between his sisters SARAH EMERSON and JANE ALFORD for their natural lives and that remaining then go to their children. Exc: JAMES ALFORD and SHEPHARD ROGERS. Wit: WILLIAM BARTON, JOHN A. SPERRY, and JOSIAH HODGES.

HEARD, JAMES

18 Aug.1843, (P) Not dated, p174. Bibb County, State of Georgia. JAMES HEARD, Planter of Houston County. Bequeathed to wife NANCY HEARD all personal and real property, stock of all kinds, notes and accounts, until her death or intermarriage. At that time his estate to go to his two sons JOSEPH P. HEARD and ANDREW J. HEARD and his personal property to go to his two sons and two son-in-law WILLIAM CHERRY and BENJAMIN WILLIAMS share and share alike. To dau. RACHAIL HORDEN one dollar. To son ISAAC HEARD one dollar. To son JACOB F. HEARD one dollar. ELVIRA O. HEARD to have full share of her grandfathers estate. Exc: Son-in-law WILLIAM CHERRY and wife NANCY HEARD. Wit: T. P. STUBBS, HENRY A. CHANDLER, and JAMES A. RALSTON.

HOLLY, WILLIAM Sr. (his Ⓗ mark)

25 Jun.1842, (P) 26 Jul.1842, p161. To wife MAZY HOLLY, 15 acres more or less of NW corner of land lot #217, 9th Dist., and an adjoining 15 acres of SW corner of land lot #216, 9th Dist. He also gave his wife all household and kitchen furniture, two cows and calves, horse, saddle and bridle, cart, plantation tools, all cash, two notes on JOHN BRYAN, one note on A. J. HOLMES, two notes on HARDY PRICE, one note on JOHN MULLY, one note on JOHN SANDERS, one note on JOHN BAROWN. The above on wife's death to go to grandson THOMAS HOLLY. Growing crops and remainder of his effort to be sold and divided among rest of his heirs (not named). Exc: Son WILLIAM HOLLY. Wit: ENOS YOUNG, STEPHEN JOHNSON, and AMOS YOUNG.

HOLTON, SAMUEL (his x mark)

1 Jun.1845, (P) No date, p210. Gave to son JAMES FITZGERALD HOLTON negroes Mat and Anny, Anny's children Bob, Wiley, Harriet, Dave, and Sarah, and land lots #130 and #164 in 13th Dist. of Houston County consisting of 202½ acres each. To wife MARY HOLTON during her natural life: Negroes Bill and Lethey; Land Lots #122 and #131, 13th Dist. of Houston County consisting of 202½ acres each; All household and kitchen equipment, framing utinsils, so much of his stock, horses, hogs, cattle, sheep, and goats as necessary to stock the farm; and wife to retain control of negroes bequeathed to son JAMES FITZGERALD HOLTON until he becomes of age, and feed, clothe and take care of the children of Anny without any charge whatever. To his wife's dau. MALINDA a negro boy Victoria. Exc: HUGH LAWSON. Wit: DEMPSEY BROWN, STEPHEN BROWN, JAMES FITZGERALD, and ROBERT O. HOLTON.

HOWARD, MICHAEL

12 Mar.1851, (P) 7 Jul.1851, p263. Bequeathed all his land, horses, cattle, hogs, and farming tools to his wife of 30 years, TEMPHESTER HOWARD, for her lifetime or widowhood, then to be divided among "my heirs". To WADE N. HOWARD, JOWEST HOWARD, RICHMOND W. HOWARD and ENOCH HOWARD, each a horse and saddle to equal them with his other sons. To his dau. TEMPHESTER, her bed, stead, bed clothes, and her loom. To his two grandchildren LAWRY ANN LUCINDA and JOHN F. HOWARD, one cow and young calf. Exc: Wife TEMPHESTER and son STANCIL HOWARD. Wit: HILLARD J. CLARK, JOHN W. BASSETT, and JAMES E. PRICE.

HOWELL, JOHN

16 Feb.1826, (P) 5 Sep.1826, (R) 24 Jan.1827, p5. Gave to his wife MARY HOWELL all his property for her widowhood or life then to go to his sons THOMAS, ELHRALDRED, and JOHN HOWELL and his grandson JOHN HOWELL, son of his dau. DEBORAH HOWELL, each one-fourth of "land I now live on". Each son to receive a horse, bed and furniture. His three sons to also receive negroes Bob and Sampson. To dau. DEBORAH HOWELL one horse. Exc: Friend HENRY PITTS and son THOMAS HOWELL. Wit: JAMES B. STEPHENS, and MILLEDGE (his ✓ mark) STEPHENS.

IRWIN, THOMAS A.

18 Jun.1831, (P) 15 Jul.1831, (R) 8 Sep.1831, p64. Bequeath to wife NANCY IRWIN for her widowhood use, his plantation and dwelling house in Washington County on Big Ohoopie known as WILLIAM IRWIN's old place. Also negroes Cold, Milas, Eplphy, Comfort, Dolly, Ardelesy, and Maryann, plus stock of all kinds, plantation tools, etc., now in Washington County. Should wife again marry she to keep two negroes and certain personal property and remainder of above property to be sold and then divided between wife, son WILLIAM

IRWIN, and child with which wife is now pregnant. He further provided that his half of Lot #257, 13th Dist., of Houston County and land lot he drew in Lee County be sold by his executors. Exc: HUGH L. IRWIN and HARRIS BRANLEY. Wit: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, RATLIFF ECHOLS, and SAMUEL GILMORE.

JENKINS, SAMUEL

8 May 1842, (P) Not dated, p318. To his wife ANNE JENKINS, three negroes of her selection. To dau. JULIA CATHARINE CORBETT, the house and lots #1 & #2 in town of Lanier Macon County on which she and her husband WILLIAM W. CORBETT now reside. To dau. HARRIET NEWELL GILES, wife of JOHN M. GILES of Macon County, his negroes Alicey and her children. To dau. ELIZABETH J. LEGETT, negro woman Pup. To son WESLEY HEMMINGWAY JENKINS his negro boy Nat. To son JOHN FLETCHER JENKINS his negro boy Silas. To dau. ANNE JUDSON JENKINS, his negro girl Betsy. To dau. ARABITHA ADELAIDE JENKINS his negro girl Dinah. To dau. MARY GEORGE JENKINS his negro girl Patience. He desired that when all his sons are of age and all his dau's. are of age or married that the remainder of his property be divided equally between his wife ANNE JENKINS and all his children. He appointed his wife as Trustee for dau's. JULIA CATHARINE CORBETT and HARRIET NEWELL GILES, and as Guardian for all his minor children. Exc: Wife ANNE JENKINS, JOHN M. GILES, JOHN E. DENNARD, and CHARLES H. RICE. Wit: J. C. POSTELL, JOHN T. GRAVES, and CONRAD MURPH.

JENKINS, WILLIAM F.

18 Mar.1844, (P) 25 May 1844, p170. To his grandchildren WILLIAM and ELIZA BRAGG $40 each over portion they may take as representative of their mother, his dau. DRUCILLA BRAGG, deceased. To his wife MARGARET all his personal and real property for rest of her natural life, and then be divided in equal shares to his children: HARRIET SMITH, ELIZABETH MEADOWS, MARTIN JENKINS, REBECCA RAWLS, MARY NELSON, and WILLIAM and ELIZA BRAGG his grandchildren considered as one representing their deceased mother. HARRIET SMITH's share is to be vested in RICHARD MEADOWS who he appointed as her Trustee. RICHARD MEADOWS was also appointed Trustee for WILLIAM and ELIZA BRAGG. Exc: Wife MARGARET JENKINS, and son-in-law RICHARD MEADOWS. Wit: CHAS. H. RICE, BRYANT BATTON, JOHN KILLIN and JAMES E. DUNCAN.

KELLY, AMEY

9 May 1854, (P) Not dated, p311. She directed that her body not be buried but placed in a tomb above ground. Bequeath to her grandson JAMES GRIFFIN and granddaughter GERALDINE GRIFFIN, $200. To granddaughter HENRIETTA E. MOORE and LAURA V. SMITH, formerly LAURA V. MOORE, each $200 and one feather bed and furniture. To her son JAMES B. JOHNSTON land in Randolph County where he now resides and the following negroes, Moses, Matilda, and her child Aggy, Cyrus, Aletia, and January a boy. Also $1,000 in money, bedroom furniture, a mahogany secretary brass mounted, a mahogany dining table, ten cain bottom chairs, silverware, carpets and rugs, rocking chairs, some stock, etc. To son THOMAS J. JOHNSTON her house and lot and all her land in Houston County and following negroes, Tom, Celia, Louisa Amanda, and Mary. Also $1,000 in money, a mahogany sofa, a mahogany bureau, one sideboard six hair bottom mahogany chairs, carpet, brass fender, rocking chair, silverware, her carriage and mares, her gold watch, bedroom furniture, and all the volumns of Kelly's Reports with copyright to same. Her negro Violet and her children to be sold privately as necessary so she may be near her husband. Exc: JOHN KILLEN and SAMUEL FELDER. Wit: WILLIAM H. MILLER, P.B.D.H. CULLER, J. W. MANN, W. H. TALTON, and JOHN M. GILES.

KELLY, JAMES M.

5 Aug.1843, (P) 7 May 1849, p249. Bequeath to his wife AMEY KELLY, the whole of his estate both real and personal, after payment of just debts. His professional business in Houston County to survive to his partner CHARLES H. RICE. He should collect all fees due where judgement has been rendered, and after retaining one-third turn over same to his Executor. Where judgement has not been rendered he should retain one-half of fee. For his professional business in other counties he appointed WARREN & SCARBOROUGH as his representative. In collections for the Central Bank not yet at an end, he desired Mr. RICE to take up the receipts of the firm and substitute his own. Exc: Wife AMEY KELLY. Wit: JAMES R. OLIVER, WILLIAM B. PENUEL, and W. D. WHITEHEAD.

KILLEN, JAMES H.

11 Apr.1836, (P) 15 Apr.1836, p99. To wife REBECCA KILLEN, negroes Louisa and her children Sam & Daniel, Caroline & Jack, Harriet & Harkless, also land lot #49, 14th Dist, with provisions that his executor have cleared 60 acres and build her a house thereon, plus some furniture and livestock. He directed that all other property be sold for payment of debts and support of wife and children. His son (not named) and dau's. MARTHA ANN, SARAH CATHARINE, and FRANCES CAMILLA to each receive one-fourth part of the money at age 21 or when dau's. marry. Negroes Isaac and Matilda in Baldwin County, which will come to him on death of REBECCA JARRETT, to be sold and money divided between wife, children and executor. Exc: Brother JOHN KILLEN. Wit: JORDAN REESE, JAMES J. SCARBOROUGH, EDWARD T. McGEHEE, and IRA T. HOBBS, JP.

KILLEN, JANE

15 Jun.1831 Johnson County, NC, (P) 2 Oct.1832 Houston County, GA, p77. Bequeath to her dau. HARRIET C. PEACOCK all money coming to her from brother WILLIAM MILLER's estate except $6, plus her bed, chest and clothing. To her sons ROBERT KILLEN, JOHN KILLEN, WILLIAM KILLEN, SAMUEL KILLEN, JAMES KILLEN, and McNEIL KILLEN, $1 each. Exc: Son LEWIS PEACOCK. Wit: JOHN PEACOCK and ASA B. PEACOCK. NOTE: JOHN PEACOCK testified

as witness on 2 Oct.1832 and LEWIS PEACOCK as Executor on 5 Nov.1832 in Houston County.

KING, NEHEMIAH

22 Jun.1839, (P) 26 Oct.1840, p146. Bequeath to his wife DIRESTOR KING a portion of his property (she to select) for balance of her life or widowhood. Balance of property to be divided among his children except his dau. ELIZABETH MINSHEW and his grandchildren JAMES BRIN, MARTHA BRIM, and MARY BRIM who have received there portion elsewhere herein. Dau. ELIZABETH MINSHEW $5. Dau's. MARY MOUNT, SARAH REYNOLDS, MARGARET MARSHALL, REBECCA McLENDON, ALSEY McLENDON, and children of dau. RACHEL BROWN deceased, a negro boy Armstrong, negro Betsy and her two children ranson and Moriab and their increase hereafter. To grandson JAMES BRIM one horse worth $70. To granddau's. MARTHA BRIM and MARYAN BRIM a bed and furniture and cow and calf each. To sons WILLIAM KING and LEVI KING, negro George to be equally divided. To sons THOMAS KING and GEORGE W. KING, negro boy Jimney. Exc: Sons WILLIAM KING, LEVI KING, THOMAS KING, and GEORGE WASHINGTON KING. Wit: JOHN V. BROWN, JESS ALMONDS, and WILLIAM HERINGTON.

KING, SAMUEL

13 Feb.1849, (P) 6 May 1850, p265. Provided that his two youngest children SARAH ANN and BENJAMIN CHARLES be supported and educated from proceeds of his estate, and that any surplus be divided equally among his four children, THOMAS, WILLIAM JOHN, SARAH ANN, and BENJAMIN CHARLES, after the youngest becomes of age. Exc: Son THOMAS KING, with JAMES NEPHEW KING of Monroe County as his replacement if necessary. Wit: THOMAS REDDING, WILLIAM A. JOHNSON, and THOMAS H. KING.

LAFOY, JOHN G.

24 Aug.1832, (P) 5 Nov.1832, p78. Directed his executor to sell any land drawn in his name in approaching land lottery and after payment of just debts to divide that left between his two children ADALINE MELVINA LAFOY and MARION LAFOY. Exc: JOHN M. ALLEN. Wit: BRYANT DAUGHTRY, GEORGE W. NIX, and ARTHUR A. MORGAN.

LOWE, AARON

8 Oct.1840, (P) 4 Jan.1841, p151. Bequeath to wife JINCEY LOWE, negroes Sena, Sarah, and Nelson, one horse with bridle and saddle, one bed and furniture, puterware she had at time of their marriage, all items necessary to keep house, one-fifth of all stock (except work steers and horses), the west part of land lot #274 and a portion of #271, 14th Dist with specific fencing directions, all for her lifetime use. On her death or removal from premises, land to go to son AARON A. LOWE. To son WILLIAM H. LOWE, negroes Hintson and Elbert, a horse with bridle and saddle, one bed with bedstead and furniture. To dau. PATSY WARREN and son DANIEL B. LOWE they have already received what "I intend for them to have", except dau. PATSY WARREN to receive the other portion of land lot#274 and #271 until her death then go to grandson KITTREL WARREN if in life, otherwise to son AARON A. LOWE. To the four youngest children MARY A.W., PERMILIA E., SARAH F., and AARON A. LOWE (he made lengthy and detailed procedures for their care from the estate until becoming of age, at which time each would take his share). Exc: Son DANIEL B. LOWE. Wit: JAMES FITZGERALD, JOHN (his J.W. mark) WEST, and JOHN W. BROWN.

MAHON, WILLIAM

13 Jun.1843 Putnam County, GA, (P) 6 Sep.1847 Houston Co., GA, p232. To his dau. (W. MIAMN ?) ANNE REBECCA BAGLEY, the loan of negro woman Sally and her two children George and Henry for her lifetime, then going to her children. To the surviving children by his last wife, negroes Sarah, Molly, Mary, Charles, Solomon, Kelly and her two children Andrew and Hannah, Patience and her child Maria, Harriet, William, Dilsey, George, Chatham, Isabella, and Ede to be equally divided. The land "where I now live" and his land in Floyd County in the Cherokee purchase to be sold and applied to education and raising of his children. His land in Sumter County he left as a home for his wife and children. All stock, horses, mules, cows, sheep and hogs he left to his family. His brother JACKSON MAHON to be compensated by his executor for time and trouble he may have with my family. To his wife MARY A.B. MAHON all the legacy coming from her father's estate. Exc: ELI WARREN and wife MARY A.B. MAHON. Wit: WILLIAM H. GREGORY, RILEY BATCHELOR, and THONAS G. WOOD.

MERCER, JOSHUA (his X mark)

29 Sep.1843, (P) 8 Jan.1844, p167. To wife DORCAS land lot #11, 11th Dist., except 40 acres where JACOB MERCER now lives and MARGARET MERCER widow of JOHN MERCER is to keep possession of the land she lives upon during her life. Wife DORCAS to also receive all horses, cattle, oxen, hogs, household and kitchen furniture, plantation tools, land lot #173 in 16th Dist., of Cherokee purchase containing 160 acres. On wife's death above property to be equally divided among my children, JOSHUA F. MERCER, ROLEN MERCER, WILLIAM MERCER, JAMES MERCER, NANCY MERCER, ELIZABETH MERCER, and JOSEPH MERCER. Exc: Wife DORCAS MERCER, and friend THOMAS POLLOCK. Wit: CANNY (his x mark) ROGERS, A. SASSER, Wm. P. GILBERT, and THOMAS POLLOCK.

McBRIDE, ALONZO C.

6 Feb.1836, (P) Not dated, p98. A letter written Sunday, 6 Feb.1836 from Hayneville to his brother and sisters FRANCES and ELMIRA, prior to departing on Wednesday for Picolate, Florida with the Houston Cavalry to engate the Seminole Indians. He mentioned he "joined with SAMUEL BUFFINGTON after the company was ordered to march", that "Mr. SMITH

regrets very much that I leave him", that "if I never return Lee is for JOHN McKINEY my watch also", and Adeline to be divided among you all". PS "Show this to none". This Will was proved as to handwriting by evidence of FREDERICK D. WIMBERLY, ISAAC H. SMITH, and JOHN L. HOWELL. (NOTE: This Will was entered for record prior to next entry which was probated 15 Apr.1836.)

McINVALE, ROBERT
28 Apr.1853, (P) Not dated, p294. Provided for his estate to be held intact under the control of his wife MARY McINVALE and son WILLIAM B. McINVALE during the life or widowhood of wife. Son WILLIAM B. to receive $150 annually for management. Should wife again marry she to receive a negro woman Nelly, a buggy with harness and horse, household furniture, and stock of her choice for her natural life. On settlement of estate, it to be divided between JAMES D., WILLIAM B., MARY FRANCES, and EMILY CAROLINE McINVALE. Exc: Wife MARY McINVALE and son WILLIAM B. McINVALE. Wit: SAMUEL H. J. SISTRUNK, THEODORE G. NORWOOD, SEABORN C. BRYAN, and SILAS RAWLS.

McKENZIE, WILLIAM
Not dated, (P) 11 Jan.1847, p239. Provided that all his real and personal property remain in the hands of his executor so long as his wife remains a widow and as children become of age to receive their equal shares to wit: JAMES W. McKENZIE, LAURA ANN McKENZIE, JOHN H. McKENZIE, MILLESSA E. McKENZIE, MARTHA ANN JOSEPHINE McKENZIE, and wife SUSAN McKENZIE. He also provided his wife for her lifetime use, negro Harry and his wife Clara. Exc: Wife SUSAN McKENZIE and his brothers JOHN SUTTON and HENRY McKENZIE. Wit: J. W. HORNE, WILLIAM W. RUSSELL, and HAMILTON HARVEY JP.

McLAMORE, HENRY (his x mark)
4 Feb.1850, (P) 5 May 1850, p262. To granddau. TABITHA MATILDA PATE, bed and furniture. To son HENRY JAMES McLAMORE, two cows and calves. To JOHN WRIGHT McLAMORE, NANCY ANN SANDERS, WILLIAM McLAMORE, CATHARINE J.C. PERVIS, ZILPHA BULLARD, LECETIA ELLIS, MARGARET T. BRIM and SARAH B. McLAMOUR, one dollar apeace. The rest of property, both real and personal to his minor children to wit: ANN ELIZA McLAMORE, JOHN WESLY McLAMORE, and ARCHABAL McLAMORE. This included his land in lot #5 and 53 acres in lot #4, 10th Dist., of Houston County and lot #31, 9th Dist., of Carroll County. Exc: Friends JOSEPH KEMP and WILLIAM SMITH. Wit: NATHAN HOLLERMAN, JOHN ADKINS, JAMES ADKINS, and JAMES E. PRICE. (NOTE: This Will begin with "I, HENRY McLAMOUR" and ended with signature mark of "HENRY McLAMORE". The two different spellings also occur among legatees of the Will. The 1830 and 1840 Federal Censuses used the spelling "HENRY McLIMORE" and the spelling of "McLEMORE" is found in other records.)

MINSHEW, NATHAN
15 Nov.1845, (P) 2 Mar.1846, p207. To wife ELIZABETH, land "where I now live" containing 194 3/4 acres, all farming utinsils, sufficient number of cattle, hogs, horses, negroes Sandy, Merick, his wife Rose and their children, Joe, Tommy, and an infant, for his wife's natural life. To dau. CLARA HOLSTEAD, a negro boy Charles. To son NATHAN, a negro boy Arch. To dau. IVEY HILL, negro girl Ester. To dau. MARGARET THOMAS, negro girl Rena and half of lot #161, 5th Dist., and after wife's death half of lot #250 and half of 194 3/4 acres where "we know live". To son REDDIN, negro boy Joe and after wife's death lot #230, 5th Dist., half of lot #250, and half of the 194 3/4 acres where "we know live". To granddau's. CATHERINE and MISSOURI the children of sons NATHAN and JOSEPH a negro girl Fanny after death of wife. To children of son JOSEPH, $200 from sales of property on my wife's death. To dau. AVA HILL and MARGARET THOMAS proceeds from sale of property, after wife's death. Exc: Son REDDIN R. MINSHEW. Wit: JOHN LAND Sr, SAMUEL H. EVERETT, and SETH G. WATSON.

MORELAND, TUTTLE H. (his x mark)
14 Oct.1829 Bibb County, (P) 2 Nov.1829 Houston County, p24. To wife SARAH S. MORELAND all residue of his estate after payment of just debts, including land, negroes, household and kitchen furniture and every other kind of property. Exc: SARAH S. MORELAND. Wit: ALBERT G. CLIFTON, WILLIAM HARRISON, and NIMROD W. LONG, J.I.C. (NOTE: The witness NIMROD W. LONG, Judge Inferior Court of Bibb County and the Exectrix SARAH S. MORELAND appeared in Houston County Inferior Court on 2 Nov.1829 where Will was probated.)

MURRAY, EZEKIEL
15 Sep.1851, (P) 17 Sep.1851, p266. Eight hours before his death he expressed to the below named witnesses his will and desire that his property should remain togeather and his children raised and educated as the older ones had been. Property to remain in possession of wife MATILDA during her natural life or widowhood and then divided equally among his heirs (not named). Exc: Son STEPHEN Z. MURRAY and COLUMBUS W. HAND. Wit: ABRAM BATTON, B. F. MOORE, DAVID MURRAY, and HARDY BATTON.

NEWSON, ELENDOR (her x mark)
14 Nov.1847, (P) 1 May 1848, p236. Left all money and property after payment of just debts to her grandchildren, the children of WILLIAM and NANCY FELIS (or FELTS ?). Exc: THOMAS POLLOCK. Wit: WILLIAM VINSON and HENRY BARTON.

PATTISHALL, JOSHUA
12 Oct.1841, (P) 20 Oct.1841, p131. Bequeath to wife MARTHA, son DANIEL, and dau's.

LAURA and ARABELLA, the use of all his property, including his land in Alabama, until son DANIEL becomes of age, then each to receive a share. To JACKSON PARKER at age 21 a good horse, saddle and bridle, and $300. He also provided for his clothing and one year of schooling. Exc: Wife MARTHA PATTISHALL. Wit: WILLIAM H. RUDD, THOMAS WILLIAMS, ARTHUR A. MORGAN, and JAMES M. KELLY. (NOTE: JACKSON PARKER above was not listed as a son. He may be identical with JACKSON P. PATTISHALL who appears in the 1850 census at age 27.)

POLLOCK, JESSE (his x mark)
15 Nov.1832, (P) 3 Dec.1832, p80. To wife SALLY POLLOCK, for her natural life, two squares of land being land lots #248 and #249, 10th Dist., one negro, horses, cattle, oxen and cart, pigs, sheep, bed and household furniture, plantation tools, and five notes on RESSEY HAMILTON for a total of $110 and one note on THOMAS POLLOCK for $24.72. Exc: LEWIS POLLOCK and FREDERICK WATSON. Wit: WILLIAM MELTON and JOSEPH (his x mark) HANCOCK.

POPE, JAMES (his x mark)
16 Jun.1849, (P) 2nd Monday Jan.1854, p298. To NANCY, "my second wife of six months" bed bedding, and household furniture in her possession and $100. Property, both real and personal to be divided equally among his eight children to wit: MARY, now wife of EZEKIEL WIMBERLY; CATHARINE, now wife of WILLIAM TOOKE; JAMES S. POPE; MARTHA POPE; SMITHA POPE; JEANETTE POPE; ELIZA POPE; and JOSEPHINE POPE. The shares of dau. MARY WIMBERLY to be reduced by $525 and dau. CATHARINE TOOKE by $600, the value of negroes already received by them. Exc: Friends ALEXANDER EVERETT and ADAM T. HOLMES. Wit: A.T. HOLMES, ALEXANDER EVERETT, and SAMUEL FELDER. Codicil dated 13 Dec.1853: To dau. MARTHA, now the wife of STEPHEN W. BROWN, a negro woman Emily age 19 and her child Jane age 2, plus $750. ADAM T. HOLMES having moved from the county is replaced as one of the Executors by EZEKIEL H. WIMBERLY son-in-law. Wit: JOHN L. FELDER, A.J. CAMPBELL, and ALEXANDER EVERETT. On proving and admitting to record the court ordered that ISAAC H. MORELAND, MOSES H. BUNN, JOSEPH TOOKE, JOHN RUTHERFORD, and JAMES K. SHINE be appointed as Appraisers of his estate in Houston County and that JAMES H. BEALE, ELIJAH BUTTS, PHILOMAN BOHANNON, MOSES WEST, and HENRY B. RAY of Dooly County be appointed Appraisers of his estate in Dooly County.

POWELL, SAMPSON (his x mark)
25 Nov.1832, (P) 3 Jan.1833, p85. To dau. AMELIA WEBB that part of lot #59, 14th Dist., that lies on the north side of Savage Creek containing 60 acres and an equal protion of my personal property. To WINNEY BARROW, now living "with me", one heifer, provided she remains until I die. All other property to be equally divided among my children (not named). Exc: Son-in-law BENJAMIN WEBB. Wit: WILSON HEMINGWAY, ERASMUS P. STUCKEY, and JAMES MARTIN.

PRESCOTT, RICHARD
13 Jul.1849, (P) 1 Sep.1851, p268. To cousin NANCY GILES, the wife of WILLIAM GILES for her natural life the following land I purchased from TIMOTHY M. FURLOW, to wit: Twenty-five acres in lot #5 and ninety-eight acres in lot #4 and part of lot #29, all adjoining property in 9th Dist., as recently surveyed by EDWARD A. HARVEY. On her death this property to be sold and disposed as below. The rest of my property to be sold and proceeds equally divided between: WILLIAM GILES, the fourth child and third son of WILLIAM and NANCY GILES; JOHN GRAY, the eldest son of FELIX and MATILDA GRAY; and ELSEY JANE and SARAH ANN, only daughters of CHRISTIAN and MARY DAVIS. Exc: JAMES A. PRINGLE. Wit: GEORGE W. SMITH, SANDERS D. OUTLAW, and DAVID M. SMITH.

RENFROE, ELISHA
14 Aug.1843, (P) 22 Jul.1844, p189. To wife LUCY, 150 acres of pine land being part of lot #149, 6th Dist., about half of which has been cleared for cultivation, all farm animals, feed and fodder, bacon and lard, household and kitchen furniture, for duration of her life and then my property to be sold to highest bidder. From above sale $80 to son SEABORN RENFROE, $80 to grandson ELISHA RENFROE son of JOHN A. RENFROE, and $80 to grandson BRYANT RENFROE son of NATHANIEL RENFROE. Remaining proceeds to be equally divided between the above named and remainder of my children (not named). Exc: SEABORN RENFROE. Wit: BRYANT BATEMAN, and GREEN S. MILLS.

ROYAL, JOHN
11 Apr.1837, (P) 24 Sep.1838, p129x. To wife REBECCA, two negroes Major and Jack, my Barouche, one bed and furniture, half of my cattle, half of my land, and 2% on the value of all other property. The latter was an unique arrangement whereby the children would pay the mother 2% annually on the property they received. To HUGH ALLEN and his present wife seven negroes to wit: Lydia, Charlotte, Jerry, Smith, Jack, Adam, and Jimy. To son HULDING C. ROYAL acquittance for all land and property in Burke County that I loaned him in July 1830 in presence of Dr. TESSIER and WILLIAM C. BATES. To son JAMES H. ROYAL a negro man Daniel. To son ISAAC my boy Bachus. To MARYANN MOORE three negroes to wit: Ginsy, Martin and Fillis, and half my land, half my cattle and hogs. To NORCESSA H. HURST a girl Esther as reimbursement for work of her negro Sam about six years in Houston County. To F. C. ROYAL, JAMES H. ROYAL, MARYANN MOORE and ISAAC H. ROYAL all other property and that bequeathed to wife REBECCA at time of her death. Exc: Friends ANTHONY M. THOMPSON and ISAAC H. ROYAL. Wit: MARIA ALLEN, JAMES P. ALLEN, and ANTHONY M. THOMPSON JP.

SAWLS, JACOB (his ✕ mark)
30 Mar.1839, (P) 29 Jul.1840, p144. To wife CHRISTAN SAWLS the lot of land whereon is now my residence, negro Caroline and her girl child, and listed stock, furniture and kitchen items for use during her livetime - after which the land and negroes to revert to property of son LAWRENCE SAWLS and balance of property equally divided between my children. To son LAWRENCE balance of my Landed Estate, my negro man Edmond. To grandson HENRY SAWLS, $500 to be paid three years from this date from property bequeathed to son LAWRENCE. Bequeath to grandson THOMAS SAWLS a sorrel horse. To grandson THOMAS PACE two cows and calves, and all other property not hereing specified to be equally divided among my children. Exc: Friend WILLIAM HADDOCK, and son LAWRENCE SAWLS. Wit: JOSEPH N. CARR, ALFRED S. (his ✕ mark) HUDSON, and HENRY W. RALEY. (NOTE: This surname is believed to be more properly identified as SAULS. JACOB SAULS was listed in the 1830 census for Houston Co., GA. L. SAULS was a private with the Houston County Cavalry in the Seminole War.)

SHEPARD, ROBERT
9 Jun.1854, (P) Not dated, p314. He stated desire that wife SARAH M. SHEPARD and all his children (not named) remain togeather on the plantation and that they be supported and children educated from proceeds of same. Children becoming of age or marring to receive their share of estate. Exc: Wife SARAH M. SHEPARD and friend AUGUSTUS H. LAIDLER. Wit: JOHN H. KENDRICK, OSBORN JONES, and DURHAM BOWERS.

SHIVER, FLEMING (his x mark)
19 Feb.1833, (P) 6 May 1833, (R) 4 Nov.1833, p82. To wife ELIZABETH SHIVER, four choice cows and their calves from my stock. My children to also have choice of cattle and sheep. Wife to receive, for her widowhood, negroes Edney and Bob, the plantation, my home hogs, etc. He provided that his "Dooly" hogs, other surplus stock, and crops of all kinds be sold, and that his "two oldest sons" be bought common suits of clothing and that JOHN C. CALHOUN be paid for his services "should he come back". He specified that Doctor MONROE not be paid $2 until he gets it by law. Exc: JOSEPH CALHOUN, ENOCH (x) SHIVER, and MANING (x) SHIVER. Wit: WILLIAM FARNELL, and JOHN FARNELL.

SIKES, JONATHAN
4 Jul.1818 Bladen County, NC, (P) Not dated, (R) 8 May 1828 Houston Co., GA, p16. To wife SARAH SIKES for her natural life, half of his cattle, hogs, household furniture, crops of corn, potatoes and cotton, plantation tools, negroes: Mintus, Jerry, Peter and Mary to help rear the "youngest children", CATHERINE, ISAIAH, CALEB and AMOS. Also 200 acres of land lying on east side of the watery lake sometimes called Harrison's Lake, 150 acres of which he patented and 50 acres by WILLIAM MORELAND. To son-in-law WILLIAM KEMP and his wife LUCY a negro girl Rachel. To BENJAMIN TURNER and his wife ELIZABETH who was dau. of my brother JOSEPH SIKES ten shillings. To the three other children of brother JOSEPH SIKES namely COLIN, MARY, and JAMES SIKES, each ten shillings. To son SAMUEL SIKES 100 acres of land joining RICHARD SINGLETARY east side of Harrison's Lake and 75 acres where he now resides. To son JOSHUA SIKES, the track "where I now live" containing 618 acres called "Cains Hill" and 28 acres which "I" purchased from SAMPSON DAVIS. To son JOHN SIKES, negro boy Ned. To son RICHARD SIKES, negro boy Peter on wife's death. He also mentioned his four sons SAMUEL, JOHN, RICHARD, and JOSHUA to receive half of his cattle. Exc: Son JOHN SIKES. Wit: JOHN DICKSON, and J. CAIN.

SPEAR, WASHINGTON
8 May 1854, (P) Not dated, p304. "I make no bequeath to my wife as we had an agreement she would have no interest in my estate". The whole of his estate, after payment of just debts, to be equally divided between dau. CAROLINE E. JOBSON and son JOHN R. SPEIR. Provisions were made that the daughters share be held in trust until her death and then for division among her heirs. Also provisions were made for son's share to be held in trust until he showed evidence of his capability to manage his share. (NOTE: An obituary in The Georgia Journal & Messenger, Macon, GA shows WASHINGTON SPEIR died 9 May 1854 in the 56 year of his age. This is believed to be the correct spelling of his surname.) Exc: WILLIAM G. SPEIR, and JOHN S. JOBSON. Wit: F.W. JOBSON, J. W. MANN, and S.J. FORDHAM.

SPIVEY, LITTLETON
8 May 1836, (P) 19 Nov.1836, p113. Provided that his executor give title to Dr. ISAAC D. NEWTON for 10 acres in NE corner of lot #273, 13th Dist. Said 10 acres to be run in a direct line with the east side of Mulberry Street or even with the side of the street on which the Jail now stands - - - adjoining HOWELL COBB's land. He provided that all his remaining property real and personal remain in tact until son JAMES reached age 21 and then divided three ways with wife (not named), son JAMES, and dau (not named) each receiving one-third. Exc: Brother JAMES SPIVEY and brother-in-law JOHN W. COWART, both of Sumter County, GA. Wit: HOWELL COBB, JOHN M. CHASTAIN, JOSEPH J.C. JACKSON, and PHILIP WEST.

SMITH, HARRIET
2 Aug.1854, (P) Not dated, p303. All her property to be equally divided between sons THOMAS J. GARDNER, heirs of LEWIS W. GARDNER deceased, JOHN GARDNER, MATTHIAS L. GARDNER, and dau's. LOISA C. ROYAL, SARAH D. BATTON, and MARGARET E. GILES. The shares of heirs of LEWIS W. GARDNER to be reduced by $190, the sum of four promisary notes made by LEWIS W. GARDNER to JOHN GARDNER on 2 May 1845. Exc: Son JOHN GARDNER. Wit: FRANCIS

B. MOORE, WILLIAM NELSON, SILAS RAWLS, and RICHARD MEADOW.

SMITH, JAMES D. (his x mark)
3 Dec.1833, (P) 3 Mar.1834, p93. To his brother WILEY SMITH, $1000 in cash. To ALSEY ELLIS in trust to WILEY SMITH $100. To his brother ANDREW D. SMITH, the remaining part of his estate. Exc: Brother ANDREW D. SMITH. Wit: GEORGE WILLIAMS and THEODORE GUERRY.

SMITH, JOHN
28 Mar.1831, (P) 5 Mar.1832, (R) 9 Mar.1832, p73. To wife ANN SMITH for her natural life, all household furniture, stock of all kinds, plantation tools, crops, negroes Dinah, Joseph, Priscilla, and land lot #65. On wife's death, negro Joseph to dau. SARAH ANN URYDICE, negro Priscilla to son JOHN GARDINER, negro Dinnah to son JOSEPH ANDREW, and lot #65 to be divided by his two children SARAH ANN URYDICE and JOSEPH ANDREW. He mentioned his two oldest son's THOMAS L. SMITH and DANIEL W. SMITH had already received their share. Exc: Wife ANN SMITH and her brother THOMAS GARDNER. Wit: DAVID L. MORRIS, JASON GARDNER, and ELIAS BRYAN.

SMITH, JOHN M.
27 Jan.1842, (P) 7 Mar.1842, p156. He divided his estate, personal and real, into five equal shares. To son BURKETT D. SMITH one share with exception of $200 which he is to pay in cash to my executor or have decucted from his share and divided equally between my wife, two minor children, and dau. MARTHA. To wife ELIZABETH SMITH and two minor children, HOMER SMITH and JACKYANN SMITH one share each. Minor childrens shares to remain undivided under control of wife till youngest child becomes of age, or death of wife at which time wifes share (legacy in lieu of dower) to be divided between my two minor children. To dau. MARTHA SMITH the remaining share. To son BRITTON J. SMITH, $700 previously paid to him in 1835. To son BENJAMIN G. SMITH $1000 previously paid to him in 1837. To dau. LOUISA C. BASKIN, negro woman Prussia (value $600) plus her increase, who has been in her possession since 1835. Exc: WILLIAM O. BASKIN, and wife ELIZABETH SMITH. Wit: CALVIN MINSHEW, HUGH A. McLAIN, and JAMES G. BASKIN. (NOTE: Dau. LOUISA C. SMITH was wife of WILLIAM O. BASKIN.)

SMITH, THOMAS
13 Nov.1840, (P) 16 Oct.1841, p141. To wife SARAH, three squares of land, #75, #76, and #86, 10th Dist., "where I now live". Also negroes John age 35, Alse age 32, Jack age 14, George age 12, Reason age 10, Ben age 8, Lettice age 6, Seaborn age 2, Lucy age 18 mos, all stock, hogs, cattle, horses, kitchen furniture and household articles for use until she remarries, to support, raise and school "my five minor children": DAWSON, EDWIN, WARREN, REBECCA and NANCY. Should wife remarry: Land to be rented out and negroes hired out, stock and furniture sold. My minor children to be supported from proceeds until youngest dau. NANCY arrives at age 12, except $100 which "I give" to dau. LUCINDA PAGE, negro Jack to son DAWSON, negro George to dau. IMCEY SMITH, negro Ben to son EDWIN SMITH, negro Seaborn to son WARREN SMITH, negroes Alse, Lettice, and Lucy to youngest daus. REBECCA and NANCY, and land to sons DAWSON, EDWIN, and WARREN. To son-in-law JOSEPH TULL and my dau. MARY TULL, his wife, one note of hand for $450 the same having been given by JOSEPH TULL to TURPEN CHISIRE and paid off and discharge by me. Exc: Son TURNER SMITH and my wife NANCY SMITH. Wit: JAMES HOLDERNESS, WILLIAM H. MILLER, JAMES R. OLIVER. (NOTE: THOMAS SMITH listed his wife as SARAH and also as NANCY. She maybe identical with NANCY SMITH who married JOHN S. SPEIGHT 28 Nov.1841. TURNER SMITH married LOUISA TULL dau. of ARTHUR TULL and NANCY TUCKER TULL. MARY SMITH married JOSEPH B. TULL son of LEWIS TULL and moved from Houston to Macon County. LUCINDA PAGE is believed to have been the wife of JOHN PAGE of Twiggs County and maybe identical with LUCINDA PAGE on p117, 1850 census for Harris County. WARREN SMITH is identical with THOMAS WARREN SMITH in later court records.)

SMITH, RICHARD
25 Jan.1826, (P) 6 Mar.1826, (R) 23 Jan.1827, p1. To wife MOURNING ELIZABETH SMITH, land lots #12, #20, and #21, 10th Dist., of Houston County, and negroes: Jim, John, Cynthia, Jefferson, Brakey, and Clarey. Also a number of cows, horses, pigs, sheep, goats, and all household furniture she had when "we married". Also one-fourth of balance of household furniture and a named supply of provisions. To dau. SUSAN CAROLINE, land lots #58, #59, #71, #72, and #73 and NE corner of #57 "I purchased from JOSEPH MIMS", all lying in 10th Dist. Also negroes: Guniea, Bill, Milly, Louiza, Abram, Joseph, Susan, Jack, Lisha, Julia, and Little Mariah dau. of Patience. Also a number of cows, horses, pigs, sheep, goats, all herd in Twiggs County, and some bedroom furniture. To son SIDNEY SMITH the ferry at Buzzard Roost on the Ocmulgee River, togeather with all the land below the road leading to where Doct. A. B. RIDLEY lives and all the land above the ferry in the 11th Dist., up to Doct. H. BRANHAM fraction. Also negroes: Dave, Polly, Jacob, Wade, Judiah, Rhoda, Tamer, Quincy, and Priscilla and a number of horses, cows, pigs, sheep, goates, and bedroom furniture. To son ETHERIDGE SMITH all the land "I purchased of GEORGE WALKER Sr. and others on the west side of Ocmulgee River below the fraction where my ferry now lands". Also the following negroes: Big Jim, Gilve, Harrod, Giner, Oliver, Little Jim, Isaac, Sally, and Jinsey plus a number of horses, cows, pigs, sheep, goats and bedroom furniture. He directed that his executor sell the following: negroes Rachel, Henry, Anne, Patie, Goaldy, Old Cesar, Hager, Patience, Henry, Ralph, Gracey, Big Mariah, Bill, Woolfolk, Kitty, Catsy, Little Cesar, Hannah, Acay, and Simon; also "my half" of

Mill in Houston County and all lots in Perry, except 4 lots above the Court House in block fronting WILSON COLLINS which are to be divided between wife and three children; also that fraction on east side of Ocmulgee River (Twiggs County) purchased from ZACHARIAH LAMAR to remain unsold at this time. To ALSTON PERKIN one square of land to be purchased by my executors at $300 or $350, also negro Rachel and her two children Henry and John, a number of cows, pigs, horses, bridle and saddle. JOHN I. OWENS to be Guardian for dau. SUSAN CAROLINE SMITH. Exc: WILLIAM HAMILTON, JOHN I. OWENS, ABNER WIMBERLY, and THEOPHILUS M. CHAMBERLIN. Wit: JAMES H. KILLEN, DAVID W. MAN, WILSON COLLINS, and TUTTLE H. MORELAND. J.I.C.

SMITH, WILLIAM

10 Jan.1851, (P) Mar. Term 1852, p281. To son ALEXANDER SMITH, $5. To dau. ARDILIA SMITH wife of NEEDHAM SMITH, $5. To dau. DEBORAH HODGE wife of JOSIAH HODGE, $5. To son JESSEE SMITH, $5. To dau. HARRIET FATTEN(?) wife of JOHN FATTEN(?), $5. To son GARRETT SMITH , $5. The balance of property real and personal, money, notes and interest held in the estate of deceased son RESDON SMITH he bequeathed to be divided equally between the lawful children of son JESSE SMITH. Exc: Friends ABNER E. WIMBERLY, WILLIAM P. GILBERT, HOWELL COBB, WILSON SMITH, and GEORGE WALKER (son of GEORGE). Wit: GEORGE W. JORDAN, JAMES D. WHITEHEAD, and JOEL WALKER.

STALEY, JANE

26 Mar.1845, (P) 4 Apr.1845, p218. To dau. CORNELIA J.E., negro woman Anna and her youngest child Frances. To all my children to wit: OLIVA M. RILEY, JOHN, and CORNELIA J.E., all property both real and personal to share and share alike. Son JOHN appointed Guardian of dau. CORNELIA J.E. Exc: Son JOHN and son-in-law DAVID RILEY. Wit: HOWELL COBB, P.B.V.H. CULLER, and HUGH A. McLAIN.

STALEY, SAMUEL

Not dated, (P) 21 May 1838, p128. To wife JANE and her children CHARLES HILLIARD, OLIVER, JOHN, and CORNELUS, negro Celia and her four children: Jack, Rufus, Sambo, and Jane. Also all my land in Houston County. To dau. KEZIAH M. MICHALD(?), $250. The rest of his estate to be divided equally among wife and all my children but CHRISTIAN J. to pay to estate $375. Exc: Wife JANE and son CHARLES HILLIARD. Wit: H. W. TERRY, H. COBB, and LEONARD KING.

STATHAM, WILLIAM (his X mark)

25 Apr.1845, (P) 7 Sep.1845, p213. To son RICHMOND STATHAM negroes Lewis, Frank and Charles a boy. To son GARLAND STATHAM negroes Peter, Ann, Bill, and Sam. To dau. JULIAN McCOY the wife of CHARLES M. McCOY, negroes Charles and his wife Caroline, Melvina a girl, Ellick a boy, and a girl not named, and $150. CHARLTON WELLBORN appointed Trustee for JULIAN McCOY. To dau. FRANCES BASON wife of JACOB W. BASON, negro boy Daniel and Mary, plus $300. To dau. NANCY HALL wife of WILLIAM HALL, negroes Dave and Ada. To grandsons MERIDETH CRUTCHFIELD, THOMAS CRUTCHFIELD, and JOHN CRUTCHFIELD sons of JOHN CRUTCHFIELD, Sr., $100 worth of property each. To "my afflicted" dau. ELIZUSE STATHAM, $5 and a decent support through life. All horses, cattle, hogs, lands, plantation, farming tools, household and kitchen furniture to be sold. After paying amounts bestowed each child the remaining to be equally divided with RICHMOND STATHAM, GARLAND STATHAM, NANCY HALL, FRANCES BASON, and JULIAN McCOY. Exc: Sons RICHMOND STATHAM and GARLAND STATHAM. Wit: THOMAS (his x mark) CRUTCHFIELD, STEPHEN CASTELLAW, and CHARLES R. LAW, JP.

STRONG, CHRISTOPHER B.

7 Feb.1847, (P) 12 May 1851, p269. Having done the best he could for his older children to wit: dau. MARTHA D. BALEY, dau. SARAH T. and sons CREED T., SAMUEL M., and CHRISTOPHER B., he desired to be buried by the right side of his wife LUCY ANN and the burial service prescribed by the Protestant Episcopal Church be read. To son CREED T. STRONG and GEORGE F. COOPER he entrusted all of his estate, both real and personal, for benefit of dau. EMELINE S. STRONG and son BLAKE BAKER STRONG. Both children to receive their share on reaching age 21 or marriage. He desired that son BLAKE B., receive a good clerical education and that he study divinity if so inclinded, under the Protestant Episcopal Church of Georgia, as his dear departed mother so prayed on her death bed. Exc: Son CREED T. STRONG, Dr. GEORGE F. COOPER, and nephew CREET T. WOODSON. Wit: BRYANT BATTON, ELIJAH WILLIAMS, and JOHN W. BROWN.

TARVIN, GEORGE

28 Jun.1830, (P) 20 Jan.1834, p89. To wife MARTHA H. TARVIN, 100 acres in lot "number seventy two (73)" in 7th Dist., of Dooly County adjoining town of Berrien and lots #23 and #24 in town of Berrin. To youngest son GEORGE FRANKLIN TARVIN land lot #54, 10th Dist., of Houston County containing 202½ acres. He provided for his family to remain togeather on his farm on lot #54 and when son GEORGE FRANKLIN became of age, other personal property to be sold and divided among his children WILLIAM M., DAVID D., MARTHA D., CLARISSA I., MARY A., and GEORGE FRANKLIN. Exc: Friend SIMON BATEMAN, and son WILLIAM M. TARVIN. Wit: WILLIAM B. BALL, JAMES E. DUNCAN, and JAMES M. KELLY.

TAYLOR, ISAAC

Not dated, (P) 12 Mar.1849, p245. To wife ELEANOR, two faithful old servants Moses and his wife Fanny for her lifetime or widowhood, then to become property of his two sons WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR. To dau. FANNY HAWKINS one negro woman Leah and her

boy Allen. Also the sum of $2,200 raised by the sale of lot #234 and part of #235 in 3rd Dist., of Dooly County which she has already received. To dau. NANCY GILMORE one negro Frank, one bay mare purchased from ALEXANDER IRWIN, cow and calf, two beds and furniture and $36. To dau. ARDILLACY BRIDGES, one negro girl Cherry, five cows and calves, one bed and furniture. To grand-dau. MARY POWEL TAYLOR dau. of son JOHN W. TAYLOR, three negro girls, Betsey about age 17 and her child Jane about one, and Hannah about 12. To son WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, two negroes Betsey a woman and Vercey a girl. To son JOHN W. TAYLOR, two negroes Angeline and Sarah both girls. To sons WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR all other property both real and personal. Exc: Sons WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR. Wit: MATHEW SHEPPEARD, DANIEL BRIDGES, and IRA T. HOBBS.

TAYLOR, JACOB (his X mark)
9 Jul.1838, (P) 3 Sep.1838, p127. Provided for his wife RACHEAL TAYLOR and children (not named) to retain his estate until youngest child becomes of age. Exc: THOMAS POLLOCK. Wit: EUPHANY (her x mark) WARREN, ELBERT D. WATSON, and F. WATSON.

TISON, STERLING
30 Mar.1831, (P) 2 May 1831, (R) 5 May 1831, p60. To wife JUDITH TISON, a negro girl Rachel. His estate to be kept togeather until dau. MARTHA ELIZABETH TISON becomes of age or marries then divided between wife and dau. Exc: Wife JUDITH TISON, AUGUSTA B. HIGGS, and ABNER WIMBERLY. Wit: JOHN G. SLAPPY, OSBORN F. WIMBERLY, and WILLIAM HADDOCK, JP. (NOTE: The surname of the legator and both legatees appear one or more times as TISON and as TYSON. STERLING TISON was listed in the 1830 Federal Census of Twiggs County.)

TODD, JOHN
7 Nov.1843, (P) 15 Nov.1843, p165. He provided that negroes Henry, Cornelius, and Mary plus her increase be sold and that land lot #223, 10th Dist., "that I now live on" be sold. He gave his executors the option of selling horses, cattle, hogs, and oxen. The money arrising form sale of above to be equally divided between his children JAMES TODD, SUSYAN TODD CLARK and lawful heirs of her body, JOHN TODD, RICHARD TODD, ELIZABETH TODD, and MARY FRANCES TODD. Tempsey to chose any one of his children to live with. Exc: Friends THOMAS POLLOCK, and JAMES P. HAMRICK. Wit: MATHEW FREEMAN, JOHN DESHART WALKER, JOHN A. FREEMAN, and NOAH DANIEL. (NOTE: SUSYAN "SARAH" CLARK was wife of SAMUEL CLARK.)

TOOKE, ALLEN
20 Sep.1837, (P) 6 Nov.1837, p118. To wife JULIA ANN TOOKE, negroes Demps, Joe, Isabel, Harriet and Ben, Jenny and Hannah. Also one 20 acre lot in town of Hayneville, his carriage and horses, household furniture now in Vineville except one bed and furniture to each of his children, one-fourth of all stock on Dry Creek Plantation "except that owned by me and my brother JOSEPH TOOKE". He provided for son JAMES E. TOOKE, son FURNEY F. TOOKE, and youngest son WILLIAM JOSEPH TOOKE to receive their portions on becoming of age. He appointed his brother JOSEPH TOOKE as their Guardian. He desired that his faithful negro Britt remain on plantation in charge of his stock. Exc: Brother JOSEPH TOOKE. Wit: GEORGE WILLIAMS, WILLIAM S. COULSON, and CHARLES F. PATILLO. (NOTE: ALLEN TOOKE was a resident of Bibb County, GA.)

TULL, ARTHUR
19 Jun.1840, (P) 7 Dec.1841, p137. To wife NANCY TULL negroes Julia, Mandy, and Little Lewis, and all land and property remaining after payment of just debts and not otherwise disposed of in this Will until her death or remarriage. On wife's death or remarriage, land to be equally divided between my two sons BENNITT TULL and FRANCIS MARION TULL, and property to be divided among dau's. LOUISA, MARTHA ANN, SUSAN JANE, and NANCY CATHERINE. To dau. LOUISA SMITH negro girl Affey now in her possession. To son BENNITT TULL negro boy named John. To dau. MARTHA ANN TULL a negro girl named Marenda. To dau. SUSAN JANE TULL a negro girl named Rebecca. To dau. CATHERINE TULL a negro girl named Harriett. To son FRANCIS MARION TULL a negro boy named Robert. He desired that his negro man Big Lewis and his growing crop be sold on a credit of twelve months and proceeds used for just debts and support of family. Exc: EDWARD ENGRAM. Wit: WILLIAM B. FENNEL, JAMES B. McMURRY, and JAMES HOLDERNESS. (NOTE: ARTHUR TULL was the GGG-Grandfather of MARION JONES HENRY, the wife of this compiler. He was son of CHARLES TULL and SARAH HARDY TULL of Lenoir County, NC. His wife NANCY TUCKER TULL was dau. of KEELEY TUCKER and SUSAN BROWN TUCKER of Pitt County, NC. After ARTHUR's death NANCY married 29 Dec. 1842 to ROBINS ANDREWS of Twiggs County, GA and on 27 May 1843 she married JOHN PERDEW, probable son of DENNIS PERDEW, Sr. of Lenoir County, NC., who came to Houston County, GA from Greene County, NC. His son GATLIN PERDEW married 6 Apr.1845 MARTHA ANN TULL and they settled in Madison County, FL. SUSAN JANE TULL married 6 Jan.1848 JOHN W. JONES son of EDWARD and MARY JONES who came from Duplin County, NC in 1834. SUSAN JANE and JOHN moved to Madison County, FL in 1858 but returned in 1869 and later settled in Macon Co., GA. LOUISA S. TULL married c1835 TURNER SMITH son of THOMAS and NANCY SMITH. BENNITT TULL married c1845 Twiggs County, GA to SARAH ANDREWS dau. of ABISHAL and LUCINDA ANDREWS of Twiggs County. NANCY CATHERIN TULL married 11 Jan.1850 to BENNETT BARFIELD son of SOLOMON and MARY BARFIELD. FRANCIS MARION TULL after service in CSA settled in Madison County, FL and married 4 Mar.1875 to Mrs. VIRGINIA McLEARY PARRAMORE widow of JOHN A. PARRAMORE and dau. of MICHAEL W. McLEARY and wife AMANDA.)

VINSON, GEORGE (his + mark)
21 Feb.1849, (P) 27 Mar.1849, p252. To wife DEBORAH, land lot #184, 6th Dist., con-

taining 202½ acres of which 60 have been cleared for cultivation and half of land lot #170 in 6th Dist., containing 101¼ acres, negro boy Jack and Sam about 55, a certain yellow horse, featherbed and furniture, two cows and calves, two sows and pigs, nine hear of fatfening hogs, farming utensils, kitchen utinsels, and 12 months provisions for her natural life or widowhood, then divided among my heirs. To dau. ELIZABETH BROOKS negro woman Nancy about age 60. To dau. NANCY HUNT, $25. To dau. ELINRAD(?) BROOKIN, $20. To dau. MARY RENFRO, $20. To dau. MARTHA PEAVY, $20. To son JONAH VINSON, $5. To son JAMES $5. To son son BENJAMIN, $5. To son GWIN, $5. To son GEORGE WASHINGTON VINSON land lot #201, 6th Dist., containing 202½ acres of which 30 have been cleared. To MANDY JANE GILES, land lot #202, 6th Dist., containing 202½ acres of which 20 acres have been cleared, with son GEORGE W. VINSON as Trustee. Exc: Son GEORGE W. VINSON. Wit: WILLIAM L. HUNT, A. YOUNG WILLIAM AVERA, and WILLIAM RICHARDSON. (NOTE: The widow "DEBBY" VINSON at age 80 was listed with THOMAS and NICY BROOKING in the 1850 census of Houston County, GA.)

VINSON, JAMES

26 Feb.1849, (P) Jan. Term 1851, p271. To wife FRANCES K., land lot #104 containing 202½ acres, the west half of lot #103 containing 101¼ acres, and the east half of lot #79 containing 101¼ acres (total 405 acres) in 5th Dist. Also lot #168 containing 202½ acres and half of lot #185 containing 101¼ acres (total 303 3/4 acres) in 6th Dist. Wife also to receive all horses, mules, hogs, cattle, crops, beds, bedsteads and furniture, cooking utensils, farming utensils, and negroes to wit: Harry about 50, Haly 44, Peter 21, Joe 24, Mary 35, Allen 19, Ben 17, Molly 12, Henry 11, Jerry 7, Caroline 5, and Paul 2. All above property to remain in wife's possession until youngest child reaches age 21, then sold by public outcry by his executors and proceeds divided among lawful heirs. To wife FRANCES K., for her lifetime use negroes Allen 24, Rachael 24 and her two children Dave 2 and Tabitha 4 mons. Exc: Friends THOMAS LEWIS and WILLIAM R. HARRIS. Wit: JOSIAH (his ✕ mark) VINSON, WILLIAM L. HUNT, and WILLIAM RICHARDSON.

WALKER, BETSY

16 Jan.1834, (P) 4 Jan.1836, p94. To dau. SARAH FRANCES FULLER, negro girl Eliza. To dau's. BETSY MARTIN, REBECCA DENNARD, and SARAH FRANCES FULLER my household and kitchen furniture. She desired that her servants Tandy and Dicey have their manual freedom and that her son DAVID WALKER should act as their Guardian. Exc: "My three sons" JOEL WALKER, GEORGE WALKER, and DAVID WALKER. Wit: HENRY P. HARRIS and WILLIAM F. TAYLOR.

WALKER, GEORGE Sr.

21 Aug.1829, (P) 1 Nov.1830, p56. To son JOEL WALKER, 404 acres of land being lots #193 and #194 in the 24th Dist., formerly Wilkinson County, now Pulaski County, where the son now lives, plus negroes: Yellow Isaac, Little Sam, Viney, and Jacob. To son GEORGE WALKER, 202½ acres, being lot #191 lying in Pulaski County, formerly Wilkinson, where the son now lives, plus negroes: John, William, Abraham, and Esther. To son DAVID WALKER, 405 acres of land known as lot#172 and #192, 24th Dist., of formerly Wilkinson County, now Pulaski, and negroes: Little Sandy, Isham, Hannah, Ben, and Tempy. To son CHARLES WALKER, 257½ acres known as lot#201 and part of #200, and 100¼ acres being the east half of lot #220, and lot #198 all being in 24th Dist., of formerly Wilkinson County, now Pulaski, and negroes: Isaac, Ellick, Mariah, and Anthony. To dau. BETSEY MARTIN negores: Berry, Anny, Laney, Jinny, Hetty, and Amy. To son THOMAS WALKER, 303 3/4 acres known as lot #202 and western half of lot #217 formerly Wilkinson County, now Twiggs, and negroes: Dick and his blacksmith tools, Alticus, Silva, Seifia, and Washington. To dau. REBECCA DENNARD negroes Hazzard, Sammy, Harriett, and Chancey. To dau. SALLY FULLER, negroes Stephen, Vilet and her children Chloey, Fanny, and Diner, plus Big Fanny and 202½ acres known as lot #189 in 10th Dist., of Houston County. To GEORGE WALKER BRYAN, MARY ESTER BRYAN, EMMILY ANTINETT BRYAN, negroes: Henry, Wilson, and Nancy, and $1200 to be divided when eldest becomes of age or on marriage. He provided for the nominal freedom of his faithful slaves Sam and Lucy. To his wife BETSY WALKER, for her natural life, negroes Else, Big Sandy and Dice his wife, all household and kitchen furniture, stock, plantation implements, growing crops, profits, and four squares of land composing the plantation in the 10th Dist., of Houston County "where I now live" known as lots #158, #163, #162, and #191. On wife's death the plantation to go to son THOMAS WALKER. Exc: Sons JOEL, GEORGE, DAVID, and CHARLES WALKER. Wit: JOHN JONES, ASA JOLLY, and DAVID JAMESON.

WARREN, AARON L.

Nuncupative, (P) 1 Apr.1839, (R) 13 May 1839, p127x. He provided that all his property real and personal go to the use of his mother PATSY WARREN for her natural life and then go to his surviving brothers (not named), younger than himself, and to his sister NANCY D. WARREN. Wit: AARON LOWE, JOHN BROWN, and JORDAN REESE.

WHEELER, JOHN (his x mark)

17 Jan.1832, (P) 13 Feb.1832, (R) 9 Mar.1832, p71. To wife MARY WHEELER he gave one dollar. To his dau's DELITY WHEELER and HANNAH WHEELER he divided his estate including 101¼ acres of oak and hickory land in Twiggs County, adjoining Mrs. KNIGHT and others, known as lot #30 in the original survey. He appointed ANDREW HOWARD as guardian of his two daughters. Exc: ANDREW HOWARD. Wit: CHARLES F. PATTILLO, JOHN FARNELL, and WILLIAM (his x mark) ALEXANDER.

WHETSTONE, JAMES MALLARD

Not dated, (P) 5 May 1851, p260. He provided that all his property be kept togeather

until his children become of age. At that time JAMES, SARAH, ANN, CORNELIA, MARY L.M.E., FRANCES JANE, and WILLIAM JOSEPH ROBINSON WHETSTONE, and wife BELINDA to receive their equal share. Exc: Wife BELINDA. Wit: P.B.D.H. CULLER, WILLIAM ALLEN, ZACH LAMAR, and MARY A. HOUSER. (NOTE: There was no punctuation marks between names therefore the above separation may be incorrect.)

WIGGINS, SARAH (her ✗ mark)
4 Jun.1840, (P) 7 Mar.1842, p160. Negro man Scott and all household and kitchen furniture to be sold and proceeds equally divided between her two sons ARTHUR and OSBORNE WIGGINS. To grandson WILLIAM ARNOLD WIGGINS son of ALLEN and CATHARINE WIGGINS her lot and improvements there on in the village of Fort Valley. Exc: OSBORNE and ALLEN WIGGINS. Wit: ENOS YOUNG and A.B. GREENE.

WIGGINS, WILLIAM
3 Apr.1828, (P) 11 Aug.1829, p20. To wife SALLY WIGGINS for her natural life or widowhood, negroes Randal and Harriet and riding carriage. On wife's death Randal to be sold and money divided between lawful children of OSBORN WIGGINS and ALLEN WIGGINS, and Harriet to go to SARAH ANN WIGGINS, dau. of OSBORN WIGGINS. Wife also to receive stock of all kinds, bed and furniture, and three notes for $100 each on one STELY (surname left blank). To dau. DICY ROSS, negroes Joe and Mary. To son OSBORN WIGGINS, negroes Moser, Lucy, George, Lewis, Tom and Betty. To son ALLEN WIGGINS, negroes, Peter, Nancy, Richard, Alec, Manuel, Wilson, Jenny, and Caroline. Exc: Wife SALLY WIGGINS and sons OSBORN WIGGINS and ALLEN WIGGINS. Wit: JOHN EVANS, CATHERINE REMBERT, and SCARBOROUGH REMBERT.

WILLIAMSON, STERLING C.
19 Jun.1838, (P) 10 Jan.1842, p148. To wife MARY WILLIAMSON: Plantation where "I now live" consisting of three lots of land #94, #95, #99, 10th Dist.; All household and kitchen furniture, farm equipment, all stock, provisions, and crops, four wheel carriage, road wagon, gun, and blacksmith tools; Negroes, Hannah, Leah, Dorea, Little Sally, Fanny, Phillis, Laura, Harry, Dedon, Peter, Jim, Ephram, Emanuel and old Cary; All money due on notes, bonds or accounts and money on hand after payment of just debts. On wife's death, all above property to be divided among his children or their heirs: STERLING C. WILLIAMSON, MARY A. WILLIAMSON, CHARLES WILLIAMSON, JAMES E. WILLIAMSON, JOHN T. WILLIAMSON, PRISCILLA E. WILLIAMSON now DINKINS, TIMOTHY T. WILLIAMSON, MARTHA L. WILLIAMSON now DINKINS, HARRIETT A.R. WILLIAMSON, and WARREN W. WILLIAMSON. Division of negroes and their increase (with provisions that should child die without issue, to revert and be divided among other children): To dau. MARY ANN WILLIAMSON and her heirs forever, Big Sally, Frank, Molly, William, and Decalb; To dau. HARRIETT A.R. WILLIAMSON and her heirs forever, Judy, Little Harry, Washington, Marion, Sam, and Little Cary; To son WARREN W. WILLIAMSON and his heirs forever, Ben, Cella, and her two children Clara and Butter, Tom, Jeffrey, and Dorcas. To son WARREN W. WILLIAMSON his watch and double barrel gun. Exc: His two sons STERLING C. WILLIAMSON and CHARLES WILLIAMSON, and SAMUEL A. DINKINS, and PAUL S. DINKINS. Wit: W. E. SANDERS and EPHRAM KENDRICK. (NOTE: STERLING C. WILLIAMSON died 12 Sep.1841 at age 75. His wife was MARY REIVES dau. of TIMOTHY and PRISCILLA REIVES of Richland District, SC. MARY was born 9 Mar.1776 Richland Dist., SC and died 30 Jun.1856. They were married in 1792 and came to Houston County, GA in 1836.)

WILSON, MATTHEW
19 Dec.1854, (P) Not dated, p306. To wife ZADY WILSON the house and lot in Perry "where I now live", with all household and kitchen furniture, for her natural life. Also all ready cash, and $300 in notes and accounts. Remaining property to be equally divided among my children to wit: JAMES WILSON of North Carolina; JOHN D. WILSON of Dooly County; GEORGIA REBECCA LOCKMAN the wife of JOHN LOCKMAN of Dooly County; NANCY JANE SEGRIST the wife of LABAN SEGRIST of Houston County; ENOCH WILSON of Macon County; JOEL WILSON of Stewart County; and ELIZA BURKET wife of JESSE BURKET of Decatur County. Exc: Son-in-law LABAN SEGRIST. Wit: P.B.D.H. CULLER, SAMUEL FELDER, and R. W. BASKIN.

WIMBERLY, HENRY
19 May 1840, (P) Not dated, p135. He stated that dau. BETSEY ANN PERRY having already received negroes Hester age 30, Lucenda 15, John 13, Mournington 8, Bill 4, Pheby 1, and Guilford 5 weeks, was not to receive her remaining share until son EZEKEL became of age. He appointed JOHN S. CHILDERS as her Trustee. To his wife he left a lot in Haneville containing 22 acres, for her natural lifetime then to go to son AUGUSTUS HOWARD WIMBERLY. He desired that remainder of his property be kept togeather for the support and education of his children and that when sons become of age and dau's. marry, they to receive their share and wife her share. Exc: Wife NANCY WIMBERLY, TERREL PERRY, and JOHN S. CHILDERS. Wit: JAMES HOLMES, GEORGE WILLIAMS, and WILLIAM S. COALSON.

WOODWARD, THOMAS
22 Oct.1843, (P) 5 Nov.1843, p172. To son STEPHEN WOODARD's son JAMES THOMAS WOODARD negro boy Orange. To THOMAS S. BRYAN's little son DAVID WILLIAM THOMAS BRYAN a negro boy Daniel. To dau. NANCY LEE a little negro girl Ginney, featherbed and furniture. To CHRISTIANA LEE dau. of NANCY LEE one bed and furniture. To MARY BUCKLES one bed and furniture. To son JOHN WOODWARD's little son THOMAS WOODWARD 100 acres being the north half of lot #248. Little Amos and David to be sold and money equally divided between son JOHN, NANCY LEE, and MARY COPELAND. The south half of land "I now live" togeather with 15 acres in adjoining square in NE corner of said lot to ALEXANDER LEE, HIXON LEE, JESSE LEE, and

THOMAS LEE, Exc: Not named. Wit: JOHN WOODWARD, HENRY CUNYUS, and JOHN HOLLAND.

Page 1 thru 3: Missing or no court action.

Page 4 - 2 Mar.1824: Letter of Administration granted to WILLIAM SMITH on estate of THOMAS BUTCHER. Bond $600. THEODORE GUERR, WRIGHT MIMS, JOSEPH MIMS, DANIEL CLARK and PETER GUERRY or any three of them appointed appraisers.

Page 6 thru 26: Missing. Page 27 & 28 appear to have been blank and later used out of normal sequence of events.

Page 27 - 3 Mar.1828: WILLIAM P. DOWNMAN appointed guardian of KINDRED and ALLEN BRACEWELL.

LEWIS COPPAGE, natural guardian for LEMUEL C. COPPAGE, who has for last 14 years had in his possession stock of cattle which have increased from 3 to 36, was granted permission to sell enough cattle to provide him $30 as a consideration of his expenses.

Page 29 - 1 Jan.1827: At the September Term 1826, ABNER WIMBERLY was appointed guardian of ETHELORED SMITH and ETHELORED being dissatisfied with the appointment, and ABNER consenting, the court ordered that the appointment be revolked.

Page 30 - 2 Jan.1827: Ordered that SAMUEL WILLIAMS, JOHN YOUNG, WALTER L. CAMPBELL, KENEDY DENARD and DAVID JONES appointed commissioners to divide negroes and lands of the estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., among his legatees.

Ordered that $25 be appropriated for the relief of THOMAS JORDAN, a pauper, and that the County Treasurer pay same out of any monies in his hands not otherwise appropriated for use of the poor.

MADISON BALDWIN, JOHN S.M. BALDWIN, WILLIAM W. BALDWIN, and ROBERT F. BALDWIN chose JOHN STAPLER their guardian.

JACOB DUNN, executor of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to sell negroes and personal property for benefit of heirs, and to make his annual return at next term of court.

JAMES DEAN appointed guardian of AUSTIN PERKINS. Bond set at $2500, with WILLIAM WELLBORN and LEVIN F. CHAIN his security.

JAMES E. DUNCAN appointed administrator of the estate of MAYBERRY WILKINSON, dec. Bond set at $1000 with EDWARD WELCH and MARTIN JENKINS as security.

JOHN STAPLER appointed guardian to the persons and property of JOHN BALDWIN, dec. Bond set at $10,000 with SAMUEL WILLIAMS and IRA SCOTT his security.

GREEN BARROW appointed to take a list of persons entitled to draw in the contemplated land lottery for Maj. WIGGANS Battalion.

LEWIS COPPAGE appointed to take a list of persons entitled to draw in the contemplated land lottery for Maj. McCARTER's Battalion.

Page 33 - 22 Jan.1827: ISAIAH CHAIN, BENTLY OUTLAW, WILLIAM WELLBORN, DAVID JIMESON, and GREEN BARROW appointed to appraise the estate of MAYBERRY WILKINSON, dec.

MARY JOHNSON allowed $60 out of fund for support of the poor for keeping WILLIAM BELL for the present year. County Treasurer to pay quarterly if he has sufficient funds in hand.

Page 34 - 25 Jan.1827: WILLIAM HAMILTON attested to validity of Will of RICHARD SMITH and to carry out his duty as executor.

Page 35 - 7 May 1827: JOHN J. OWENS, guardian of SUSAN CAROLINE SMITH, granted leave to sell her stock of cattle and sheep.

GREEN HILL and MOURNING ELIZABETH, his wife, late widow and one of the legatees of RICHARD SMITH, dec., SUSAN CAROLINE SMITH another legatee by her guardian JOHN J. OWENS, ETHELDRED SMITH and SIDNEY SMITH also legatees, AUSTIN PERKINS another legatee by his guardian JAMES DEAN, charges THEOPHILUS M. CHAMBERLAIN, one of qualified executors with mismanagement: 1. Made purchases from estate sale on 24 Apr.1826 and 1 May 1826 contrary to law, 2. Failed to give notes and security for property purchased, 3. Converted to own use property of the estate, 4. That he is in insolvent circumstances, and 5. He failed to account for the proceeds of the Fishery on the Ocmulgee River. THEOPHILUS M. CHAMBERLAIN ordered to appear at next term of court to answer charges.

Court ordered that executor of the estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., pay H. W. RALEY the rate of $10 per day for 7 days as an autioneer.

The estate of MAYBERRY WILKINSON, dec., being mostly of a perishable nature, the court ordered the administrator to proceed to sell all personal property.

JAMES DEAN, THOMAS SMITH, EDWARD ENGRAM, ISAIAH CHAIN and DAVID JIMISON or a majority of them to divide the household property of RICHARD SMITH, dec., in pursuant to his last Will.

Page 38 - 2 Jul.1827: ALLEN GRIFFIN, having intermarried with NANCY DAVIS, the administratrix of the estate of RICHARD DAVIS, was added as an administrator and ordered to give bond and security.

Court approved the selling of negro Julia from the estate of JOHN BALDWIN by JACOB DUNN, executor.

ALLEN GRIFFIN having applied for a division of the estate of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec., in the right of his wife, the court appointed MICHAEL WATSON, ABNER WIMBERLY, HENRY PITTS, EDWIN ELLIS, and ENOCH BLACKSHIRE or a majority of them to divide said estate.

LEWIS YARBOROUGH appointed administrator of the Will of WILLIAM ADAMS and trustee of the property bequeathed to GINNEY JOINER.

JOHN SPURLIN appointed guardian of SILAS SPURLIN, an idiot who possesses a considerable amount of property. Bond set at $1400.

Page 41 - 3 Sep.1827: ENOCH BLACKSHEAR appointed guardian of the person and property of MARTHA JANE DAVIS, an orphan and minor of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec.

Page 42 - 19 Nov.1827: SIMON BATEMAN reported to the court that JAMES SIMPSON had paid a $5 note due 1 Jan.1825 to RICHARD SMITH, dec.

MARTHA SUTTON, a minor appeared in court and chose REDDIN ROUSE as her guardian and was so ordered.

ABNER WIMBERLY, surviving qualified executor of RICHARD SMITH, dec., reported to the court that one account against ZACKERY FULLER returned to this court 15 Jul.1826 was a mistake and said FULLER does not owe the estate $72.25.

Page 44 - 29 Jan.1828: ABNER WIMBERLY, surviving qualified executor of RICHARD SMITH, dec., requested and received court permission to sell land lot #126 in 23 District of Muscogee County and land lot #94 in 19th District of Lee County.

EPHRIAM WILSON, applied for and was granted, Letter of Administration for estate of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec.

JAMES DEAN having lost or mislaid the vouchers for his return as guardian of OBEDIANCE LOWE, a minor, was granted an extension to next term of court.

THOMAS ADAMS appeared in his own right and showed bond for $500 bearing date of 15 Dec.1823 by RICHARD SMITH conditioned to make said ADAMS title to land lot #67 in 4th District of formerly Dooly County, now Pulaski County. It appeared to the court that ADAMS had paid said RICHARD SMITH since date of bond. The court ordered ABNER WIMBERLY, surviving qualified executor of RICHARD SMITH's estate to make title for said land lot to ADAMS.

Ordered letter of dismission be granted ALLEN GRIFFIN, administrator of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec.

Court allowed ABNER WIMBERLY, surviving qualified executor of RICHARD SMITH estate to make corrections to annual return filed during January Term 1827.

WILLIAM HADDOCK, as administrator for the estate of LUKE HADDOCK asked relief for errors he made in annual returns for 1824 and 1825. The court ordered the errors expunged from the minutes.

Page 48 - 3 Mar.1828: Court ordered JACOB DUNN, executor to pay MARY JOHNSON $15 for service as midwife and taking care of negro woman Francis belonging to estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec.

JOHN J. OWENS, guardian of SUSAN C. SMITH, granted leave to make his annual return.

JACOB DUNN, executor of JOHN BALDWIN, granted leave to make his annual return.

Page 53 - 6 May 1828: SARAH CHRISTMAS, administratix for MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec., stated

EPHRIAM WILSON, one of the legatees was possessed of estate property valued at $37 which he refused to give up. The court ruled that this amount be withheld from his legacy if he did not give up the property before next term of court.

EDWARD STAFFORD having deceased intestate and leaving considerable property, the court granted Letter of Administration to MARY STAFFORD, his widow and at her request to JAMES CHANCE. They gave bond for $16,000.

Authorized the hiring out of negroes of the estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., until 25 December next.

Page 56 - 2 Jun.1828: ALLEN SUTTON granted Letter of Administration for estate of WILSON EDWARD.

Page 57 - 7 Jul.1828: ANN PAYNE applied for Letter of Administration on estate of WILLIAN PERKINS, dec., which was granted on her giving bond for $1200.

JESSEY WALL, NAZIMEY MOORE, JAMES WALL, BENJAMIN HENDERSON, and ULYSEE CRUTCHFIELD appointed appraisers for estate of WILLIAM N. PERKINS, dec.

Last Will and testament of WILSON EDWARDS was produced, proven, and approved and ordered admitted to record.

ALLEN SUTTON granted final letter of administration on estate of WILLSON EDWARDS, on his giving bond and security.

WILLIAM CUNYERS, THOMAS GILBERT, L. STANLEY, WILLIAM HADDOCK, and DANIEL DUPREE appointed appraisers for estate of WILLSON EDWARDS, dec.

GUSTAVUS McCREA, represented by his attorney JAMES McKELLY, produced a bond dated 22 Dec.1823 and requested the court of have ABNER WINBERLY surviving qualified executor for estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., make title for the eastern half of a land lot in Twiggs County formerly 24th District of Wilkinson County and formerly owned by THOMAS HUNT and lately by JAMES FINLEY and joining a lot of land where JAMES C. BRYAN now lives and a lot formerly owned by JOHN DUPREE. Court approved and the executor was so ordered.

DUNCAN NICHOLSON, LEARY STANLEY, and MEREDITH JOINER testified as witnesses to Will of WILSON EDWARDS, dec.

Page 62 - 29 Jul.1828: JAMES DEAN, GREEN HILL, EDWARD ENGRAM, FRANCIS LEONARD, and ASA ROYAL or a majority of them appointed appraisers to estate of ETHELDRED SMITH, dec.

JESSY POLLOCK, administrator de bonis non upon the estate of STERLING ANDERSON, late of Twiggs County, dec., having moved to this county is desirous of moving the business of said estate to this county. Court approved on his giving bond of $1100.

Page 64 - 16 Aug.1828: LEVIN F. CHAIN, as attorney for JAMES WILLIAMS for final Letter of Administration on estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, was appointed administrator and gave bond for $16,000 with JAMES DEAN, F. W. JOBSON, BENTLEY OUTLAW, A. J. ROBINSON, and JOSHUA PATTISHALL as security. This appointment was made after MARY STAFFORD, the widow intermarried with RALPH BOZEMAN and they and WILLIAM CUNYUS were granted Letters of Administration but could not produce the $16,000 bond.

H. SUMMERFORD, RATLIFF ECHOLS, ELIJAH DEAN, N. F. HOOKER, and JAMES CHANCE were appointed appraisers for estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec.

Page 66 - 8 Sep.1828: ALLEN GRIFFIN, administrator of estate of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec., granted Letter of Dismission.

The estate of WILSON EDWARDS, dec., being indebted to extent that hire out of negroes for one year will not meet obligations, ALLEN SUTTON, administratior granted leave to sell the negro property and other personal property for benefit of heirs.,

JOSEPH MURPHY, a minor in possession of a land lot in joint tenancy with his sister ELIZABETH DOWNMAN, late a minor, and BEVERLY C. DOWNMAN her husband desirious of procuring a distribution of said lot, was ordered to appear at next court to chose a guardian or show cause.

SARAH HAYS, a minor and poor orphan, was bound to JAMES McKELLY until becoming of age.

MARTHA HAYS, a minor and poor orphan, was bound to LEVIN F. CHAIN until becoming of age.

ELIZABETH HAYS, a widow of JAMES HAYS, dec., was allowed to keep and maintain ELIZABETH HAYS and FRANCIS MARION HAYS, her children who are poor orphans until 1 January

next. The County Treasurer to pay her $20 out of any funds not otherwise appropriated and WILLIAM SMITH to receive and distribute the money.

Page 69 - 3 Nov.1828: Temporary letter of administration granted JOHN GILBERT on the estate of JOHN RAY, dec.

JOSEPH MURPHY, a minor notified to appear and chose a quardian, refused to do so. The court then appointed JOHN TOMLINSON as guardian of JOSEPH MURPHY.

WILEY (his ℭ mark) HALL appeared in open court and testified he had never been paid for services. The court ordered PETER V. GUERRY and PERRY WIMBERLY, administrators for estate of THOMAS McKAY, dec., to pay him $80.

Page 71 - 5 Jan.1829: Ordered that JONATHAN MOSS and WINNEY MOSS be bound out until age 21 and that their masters are bound to give them two years of schooling each. The court further ordered that JONATHAN MOSS be bound to PHILLOP TROY and that WINNEY MOSS be bound to WILLOUGHBY JORDAN.

HENRY SUMEFORD was appointed administrator on the estate of WINSTON GRADDY, dec. Bond was set at $1600 with RATLIFF ECHOLS and ALBERT PEDDY his security.

Ordered that the Clerk of Ordinary Court take and execute the indebutures and bonds between JONATHAN MOSS and WINNEY MOSS and their masters.

The court ordered that MICHAEL MOSS and RACHAL MOSS be let to the lowest bidder. The bidder to give bond and security to furnish them with a comfortable dry home and sufficient clothing to keep warm and sufficient food for the support of their bodies.

MARGARET DOROTHY was bound to FADIAS BROWN and the court ordered that the indenture and bond obligate him to give her two years of schooling.

Page 72 - 10 Jan.1829: Court granted JACOB DUNN, administrator on the estate of JOHN BALDWIN till next term of court to make his annual return.

Heard the petition of WILLIAM P. DOWNMAN, guardian for KINDRED and ALLEN BRACEWELL, orphans of RICHARD BRACEWELL, dec., of Laurens County, for an extension of time to make a return on amount of stock belonging to the estate.

LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator of the estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., granted an extension of time to make his annual return until next term of court.

JAMES E. DUNCAN, administrator of M. WILKINSON, dec., was granted an extension of time to make his annual return for 1828 until next term of court.

WILLIAM HAYS and MARY HAYS, orphans were ordered bound to JAMES H. KILLEN and the clerk ordered to execute the indenture.

WILLIAM SMITH having completed his duty as administrator of estate of THOMAS BUTCHER, dec., was granted Letter of Dismission.

Page 75 - 28 Jan.1829: Court ordered that LEVIN F. CHAIN, administraton of estate of EDWARD STAFFORD appear at next term of court to show cause why he should not be removed as administrator for mismanagement - by hiring out two of the negroes on the river to work on boat without giving public notice as required by law.

The court ruled that RALPH BOZEMAN and MARY, his wife, are authorized to keep possession of house they occupy and lately occupied by EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., with privilege to purchase same.

Page 76 - 5 Feb.1829: JAMES H. KILLEN granted temporary letter of administration of estate of HENRY SHEPARD.

Page 76 - 2 Mar.1829: Received the return on estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., for 1828, including insolvent notes.

Received the return of JOHN STAPLER, guardian for the minors of JOHN BALDWIN, dec.

Received the return of ALLEN GRIFFIN, late administrator of the estate of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec., for 1828 and ordered it to be recorded.

Ordered that LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator on estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., proceed to distribute to GILES B. TAYLOR assignee of RALPH and MARY BOZEMAN, and PHINEUS OLIVER, their trustee on north part of the estate belonging to the said EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., which when the same place hear have been done and the dower assigned off to the said land shall be in ___? of the distribution then belonging to the said MARY and RALPH by intermarriage, the said GILES B. TAYLOR, assignee consenting. It is ordered that JOHN J. OWENS, HENRY W. BALEY, BENTLEY OUTLAW, GREEN HILL, and MARTIN

JENKINS, or a majority, are appointed commissioners to make said division.

JACOB DUNN, executor of estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to make his annual return of the property of the three younger children.

Ordered that rule "N" be taken against LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator on the estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., to revolk his administration, and with his consent was withdrawn.

Page 79 - 18 Mar.1829: ALLEN GRIFFIN, administrator of estate of RICHARD H. DAVIS, dec. having completed his assignment was granted Letter of Dismission.

MICHAEL MADDEN, applied for Letter of Administration on the estate of JONATHAN SIKES, late of North Carolina, dec. Request granted.

SIMON DUPREE applied for Letter of Administration on the estate of ELISH W. LAW, dec. Request granted on complying with terms of the law.

ANN G. DAVIS, administratrix on the estate of WILLIAM B. PERKINS, dec., applied for Letter of Dismission and was granted.

Temporary Letters of Administration having been granted to JAMES H. KILLEN and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS on the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., the court ordered that bond be set at $8000 for each.

Page 81 - 4 May 1829: JACOB DUNN, executor for estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., was given leave to make his return as regards the situtation of the minors in his care.

ROBERT SHEPPARD, a minor over 14 years of age chose THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS as his guardian. JOHN SHEPPARD was appointed by the court as guardian of ELIZABETH SHEPPARD, a minor, and bond was set at $1400.

JAMES H. KILLEN, was appointed guardian of HENRY SHEPPARD and MARY SHEPPARD, minors and orphans of HENRY SHEPPARD, dec.

JOHN WEST, JAMES CHANCE, RATLIFF ECHOLS, EDWARD A. ROBERSON, and JAMES JONES, appointed appraisers of estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec..

It appearing to the court that HENRY SHEPARD, dec., had entered into contract to deliver his 1828 crop of cotton to RAWLS & CLAYTON, merchants and did deliver 17 bales and his administrator THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS delivered 2 bales, there still remained 5 bales to be delivered, the court ordered the administrators to comply with the contract.

For the benefit of the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., the court ordered that the farm be carried on for the present year and that the sale of negroes, horses, and other property necessary in carrying on said farm be delayed.

Page 85 - 25 May 1829: HENRY SHEPPARD and MARY SHEPPARD, infants and orphans of HENRY SHEPPARD, dec., being without guardian, the court appointed THOMAS N. McWILLIAM as their guardian and set bond at $2800.

CULLIN WEBB, a minor under age 21, having intermarried with MALINDA CONVINGTON, also a minor, requested right to property of said MALINDA. BENJAMIN WEBB, the father of said CULLIN WEBB came into court and gave bond in the sum of $2000. The court then appointed BENJAMIN WEBB as guardian of CULLIN WEBB.

RATLIFF ECHOLS was appointed guardian of the person and property of FURRY H. SHEPARD, infant and orphan of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., and gave bond for $1400.

The court ordered that an accounting of certain sales in the estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., which should have been returned immediately after 1 Jan.1828 be done so by the administrator ABNER WIMBERLY to the clerk. Sales specificaly mentioned were the negroes and former residence in Twiggs County, and property sold at the residence of GREEN HILL in Houston County, and the hiring out of negroes and renting of lands.

Appearing to the court that EDWARD GRADDY, an infant and free person of color may become a county charge, the court ordered the Sheriff, JOSEPH MIMS to present him at the next court in order that he may be bound out in terms of the law.

Page 88 - 6 Jul.1829: Having heard and examined the situtation of EDWARD GRADDY, an infant and free person of color, the court ordered the Sheriff to return him to his mother.

ROBERT SHEPARD, a minor and orphan of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., appeared in court and chose JAMES H. KILLEN as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $1000.

LEVIN F. CHAIN, administraton of estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., granted leave to

sell all the real estate of said STAFFORD, after establishment of the widows dower and MICHAEL BARNWELL upon according to law agreeable to leave for the possessions of division.

There appeared to be some confusion to the court in the affidavid of WILLIAM HADDOCK. On motion it was ordered that these amounts be considered as arising from sale of property and notes of the deceased.

FRANCIS W. JOBSON one of the securities of LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator of estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., was relieved of his libality on bond of said LEVIN F. CHAIN.

The stock of cattle now in the care of LEWIS COPPAGE as natural guardian of LEMUEL COPPAGE having increased from an original 3 to something like forty or fifty, and having previously received $30 for his services, said LEWIS COPPAGE was granted permission to sell an additional $50 worth of stock for his service.

Page 91 - 6 Oct.1829: The court ordered JAMES H. KILLEN and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administratory of the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., to proceed with sale of the lands, negroes, and personal property of the estate.

The Will of TUTTLE H. MORELAND of Bibb County, dec., having been proven was ordered to be recorded.

JAMES DEAN, EDWARD ENGRAM, GREEN HILL, SIMON BATEMAN, and JOSHUA PATTISHALL, were appointed as appraisers of the estate of TUTTLE H. MORELAND, dec.

SARAH S. MORELAND, exectrix for estate of TUTTLE H. MORELAND, dec., granted leave to sell personal property of said T. H. MORELAND, or enough to meet demands against the estate.

ISAAC HOMES, the uncle of STEPHEN R. GOODWIN a minor and orphan under age of 14, was appointed guardian of the person and property of said minor. Bond was set at $1000 with MILES HARRELL and BRYANT DAUGHTRY as security.

Page 93 - 5 Jan.1830: THOMAS BATEMAN removed from Washington County, Georgia and being guardian for MARY VICKEARS, and WILLIAM VICKEARS, and for SARIE MIMS, their person and property in Washington County, was ordered to bring certified copies of his actings and doings from the records of Washington County and have same recorded in this county. He gave bond of $2000 with JAMES W. BATEMAN and BENJAMIN BATEMAN as security.

THOMAS BATEMAN, step-father of JOSEPH VICKERS, a minor residing in this county and being possessed of some property, was appointed guardian for his person and property. He gave bond of $800 with JAMES W. BATEMAN and BENJAMIN BATEMAN as security.

It appeared to the court that from the Will of MOSES CHRISTMAS a dower can now be made according to the requisites of said Will. On motion it was ordered that WILLIAM SMITH, BENJAMIN KEMP, JOHN WALKER, DAVID WALKER, and DAVID JAMESON be appointed to divide the property of said estate as outlined in the Will.

JOHN J. OWENS petitioned the court that he had fully administrated the estate of JOHN (alias) E. PULARID SMITH so far and prays for a citation.

SIMON BATEMAN, JOHN J. EVANS, JOHN M. SMITH, JAMES G. BASKIN, and GREEN HILL were appointed to appraise the estate of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec.

JANE OUTLAW, widow of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec., applied for administration of his estate. After giving bond of $4000 she was appointed administratrix of his estate.

Court considered the application of JOHN QUICK and of POLLY COWARD, the widow of ELISHA COWARD, dec., for administration of his estate. On motion ordained that POLLY COWARD be appointed administratrix on her giving bond and security of $4000.

JOHN QUICK appealed his rejection and the appointment of POLLY COWART as administratrix of the estate of ELISHA COWART. He paid court cost and gave RATCLIFF ECHOLS as his security for all future costs that may arise.

Page 96 - 8 Feb.1830: JACOB DUNN, executor of the estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to make his annual return.

LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator of the estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., granted leave to make his annual return.

ABNER WIMBERLY, executor of the estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., granted leave to make his return for year 1828.

Page 97 - 1 Mar.1830: DANIEL BRUNSON, appointed by this court to control the money appropriated for the benefit of HENRY PEBWORTH, was released on his request, and SOLOMAN

FOREHAND was appointed as his replacement.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and JAMES KILLEN, administrators for the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, were granted leave to make their return.

LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrator of the estate of EDWARD STAFFORD, dec., was granted leave to make his annual return.

The court ruled that the return of LUNSFORD PITTS, administrator for the estate of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, dec., for the year 1826 as pertains to the negroes should be for the year 1827.

HENRY PITTS and LUNSFORD PITTS, appointed administrators in 1826 to the estate of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, having completed their administration were granted Letters of Dismission to be effective at end of six months if no contrary cause appears.

Ordered that the charge on the return of JOHN STAPLES, guardian for JOHN S.M. BALDWIN, as pertains to the hire in full of a negro named Jack who died 28 Mar.1829 be deducted for remainder of said year.

BETSY M. SELF chose JACOB BUSBY to be appointed her guardian and was so ordered.

Page 99 - 3 May 1830: ELIZABETH C. McBRIDE, widow of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., requested appointment as guardian of her own children viz: ELMYRA, ALONZO, MALISSA, FRANCIS, MARY, SUSAN, and JULIET - JOHN McBRIDE who are all minors. Court approved upon her giving bond of $4000.

Ordered that the administrator of the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., allow RATLIFF ECHOLS the sum of $9 for three days service as auctioneer.

JOHN QUICK was duly appointed administrator on the estate of ELISHA H. COWARD and HENRY LUNSFORD, JAMES JONES, THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, RATLIFF ECHOLS, and WINFER GRADDY were appointed appraisers.

It appeared to the court that LANY HAWKINS, a minor living with WILLIAM W. WEST and having considerable property without legal guardian. The court ordered WEST to appear at next term of court and show cause why he should not be appointed.

Page 101 - 12 Jul.1830: LANY HAWKINS, a minor and orphan of WILLIAM HAWKINS, late of Washington County, dec., appeared in court and requested guardianship for herself and her estate be granted ISAAC TAYLOR of Houston County. Being over age 14 and within the laws of choosing her own guardian, ISAAC TAYLOR was approved on his giving bond of $2000 with THOMAS TAYLOR and WILLIAM SHEPPARD as security.

ISAAC HOLMES, guardian of STEPHEN K. GODDIN (sometimes called STEPHEN C. GODDIN) orphan, having given public notice, requested leave to sell land lot #251 in 3rd Dist., of formely Troup County now Merriwether which was drawn by said orphan. Court approved and granted him leave.

ISAAC TAYLOR, guardian of LANEY HAWKINS orphan, was granted leave to sell the perishable property, cattle, household furniture, etc of her estate.

JOSEPH MURPHY, a minor and orphan of JESSE MURPHY, dec., appeared in open court and requested court to commit the guardianship of himself and his estate to CHARLES HAMMOCK. It appearing to the court that said orphan was over age of fourteen years said CHARLES HAMMOCK was approved and appointed his guardian. Bond was set at $300 with JAMES H. KILLEN as security. The court further ordered that a former order of this court appointing JOHN TOMLINSON the guardian of said orphan be hereby revolked.

IRA JACKSON, appeared personally before the court and requested the court to appoint HIRAM JACKSON his guardian. The court approved HIRAM JACKSON as guardian on his giving bond and security of $2000.

The County Treasurer was ordered to pay to JOHN MURRAY the sum of $25 for the support of Mrs. LINSEY and her six children, some of the poor of this county, out of the first money he may recieve that is not otherwise appropriated.

JOHN R. SENTERFITT made application in terms of the law for Letters of Administration on the estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec., in right of his wife ELIZABETH SENTERFITT late ELIZABETH McCORMICK widow and relict of said deceased. Therefore on motion the court appointed said JOHN R. SENTERFITT as administrator of the estate of said deceased on his giving bond of $2500 with RUBIN BYNUM and MATHIAS McCORMICK as security. (NOTE: The name JOHN SENTERFITT appears to be identical with the name JOHN CENTREFITT in the 1830 census for Houston County, GA.)

DAVID CLARK, PHILLIP CAUSEY, JOHN BYNUM, ROBERT L. WITHERINGTON, and JOHN PEARCE were appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec.

JOHN R. SENTERFITT, administrator of estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec., granted leave to sell personal property belonging to the said estate on giving notice required by law for benefit of heirs and creditors.

JOHN WILLOUGHBY, a minor, personally made application to the court that ABRAM ROBERTS be appointed guardian of his person and property. Court approved and set bond at $200 with HIRAM JACKSON as security.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAM, RATCLIFF ECHOLS, JOHN WEST, THOMAS TAYLOR, and JOHN CHAMBERS appointed appraisers to appraise property of LANY HAWKINS, an orphan.

Page 105 - 6 Sep.1830: JOHN CHANCY having obtained temporary Letter of Administration on estate of EDMUND CHANCY, dec., an no objections being filed in the Clerks office is hereby appointed administrator of all the estate of EDMUND CHANCY, dec.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, WILLIAM JONES, JAMES CLARK, MITCHEL TOMLEY, and JOHN HUDSON appointed appraisers of the estate of EDMUND CHANCY, dec.

DAVID WALKER, ELIHA WOODWORTH, CHARNICK HIGHTOWER, WILLIAM BARKER Jr., and CHARLES KIMBRELL appointed to set of to the legatees of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec., a proportionable part of the negroes of said estate agreeable to the Will of the deceased. Former orders appointing BENJAMIN KEMP, JOHN WALKER, WILLIAM SMITH, DAVID WALKER, and DAVID JAMESON are hereby revolked.

JOHN FLETCHER having obtained temporary Letter of Administration on estate of JAMES G. PARKS, dec., and no objections having been raised was granted permanent Letter of Administration of said estate.

On motion of JOHN FLETCHER, administrator of estate of JAMES G. PARKS, dec., it was ordered that WILLIAM MIZELL, JOHN YOUNG, JACOB DUNN, BRYANT MANGHAM, and WESTLY WILLIAMS be appointed as appraisers of said estate.

Page 107 - 4 Oct.1830: On application of WILLIAM BYRD for Letter of Administration on the estate of PINKEY YARBROUGH, dec., it was ordered that same be granted to him on his giving bond of $4000 with MILES HARRELL and THEODORE GUERRY as security.

On motion of WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of the estate of PINKEY YARBOROUGH, dec., it was ordered that CHARLES F. PATILLO, MILES HARRELL, GEORGE WILLIAMS, THEODORE GUERRY, and FREDERICK BARBER be appointed as appraisers of said estate.

Page 107 - 1 Nov.1830: The last Will and testament of GEORGE WALKER SR. being in court and witnesses present it was ordered that same be proven and admitted to record.

It appearing to the court that DAVID WOOD, ELIZABETH WOOD, LOUISE WOOD, and JOHN WOOD, minors and orphans of JOSEPH WOOD, dec., are entitled to a certain portion of the estate of said deceased and they being without guardian, it is ordered that PHILLIP BAILY the grandfather of said orphans be and he is hereby appointed the guardian of the person and property of said orphans. Bond was set at $500 with HENRY W. RALEY as security.

LUNSFORD PITTS and HENRY PITTS having completed the administration of the estate of LUNSFORD C. PITTS and same having been duly published with no cause of objection being shown, the court ordered their dismissal from said administration.

JACOB DUNN, executive of the estate of JOHN BALDWIN petitioned the court that he had fully administered the estate and requested discharge after the legal notice and final settlement with the court.

It appearing to the court that REBECCA ALBRITTON, a minor in possession of property and without guardian and she having nominated JAMES ALBRITTON her guardian, the court approved and ordered same. Bond was set at $1000 with MATHEW ALBRITTON as security.

It appearing to the court that OLIVER ANTHONY, a free man of color being in this county without guardian, on motion ordered that DAVID MIMS be appointed his guardian upon giving bond and security of $200.

On the representation of PHILLIP BAILY guardian of DAVID WOOD, ELIZABETH WOOD, LOUISE WOOD, and JOHN WOOD minors and orphans of JOSEPH WOOD, dec., and of WILLIAN CASTLEBERRY and his wife LOVESA CASTLEBERRY late LOVECEY WOOD, a widow of said deceased, it appears to the court to be beneficial to said orphans to sell the personal estate for purpose of a division among heirs. The court approved and granted said guardian leave to give notice and sell the personal property and make distribution.

JAMES HOLDERNESS, ROBERT BROOKS, HENRY TURNER, DAVID DUNN, and BRYAN MANGHAM were appointed appraisers to appraise the personal property of JOSEPH WOOD, dec.

Page 109 - 3 Jan.1831: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and JAMES H. KILLEN, administrators of the

estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., granted an extension of time, till next term of court, to make their annual return.

JACOB DUNN, executor of the estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., and SARAH MORELAND, executrix of the estate of TUTTLE H. MORELAND, dec., granted leave to make their annual return to next term of court. Also that JAMES DEAN guardian of P.LOWE and AUSTIN PERKINS and LEVIN F. CHAIN, administrators on the estate of E. STAFFORD, dec., extended for a term.

It appearing to the court that ISAAC TAYLOR guardian for DELANY HAWKINS wishes to hire out a negro woman belonging to said minor a present heir, on motion ordered that he have liberty to do so.

It appearing to the court that JAMES DEAN, guardian of OBEDIANCE P. LOWE, is anxious to hire out the negroes of his ward. He was granted the privilage to do so for this year as long as said property remains in his charge.

Ordered that in the matter of the division of the estate of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec., that the power ordered with against the law be revolked and the law said on the same situation that it not be had ordered. (NOTE: Handwriting of this entry may be misinterpreted.)

On motion ordered that SARAH CHRISTMAS, administratrix on the estate of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec., make her return for 1830 to next term of court.

Ordered that JOHN QUICK, administrator on the estate of ELISHA COWARD, dec., have leave to make his annual return at next term of court. Also that ISAAC HOLMES, guardian of STEPHEN K. GODWIN have the same liberty. (NOTE: STEPHEN K. GODWIN listed as STEPHEN K. GADDIN in earlier minutes of this court.)

RATLIFF ECHOLS was appointed guardian of BURTON PITTS, DAVID PITTS, and MARTHA PITTS, minors of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, dec., upon his giving bond of $2500 with ELIJAH DEAN and HENRY LUNSEFORD as security.

MICHAEL MADDEN, administrator of the estate of JONATHAN SIKES, dec., late of Bladen County, NC granted leave to make his annual return.

ALLEN SUTTON, administrator of the estate of WILSON EDWARDS, dec., applied for and was granted Letter of Dismission.

Appearing to the court that JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec., while in life on 16 Aug.1828 made bond to ANDERSON ROBERTSON of Wilkinson County for $300 the condition of which was for land lot #174 in the 17th District of Muscogee County now Talbot County and the deceased died before the bond was used. The court ordered JOHN R. SENTERFILL, administrator of said estate to publish this order for three months and their being no objections to arise to execute titles to ROBERTSON upon the payment of the purchase money to him. A copy of the bond dated 16 Aug.1828 and signed by JEREMIAH McCORMICK followed bearing the names of E. WOOD and NATHAN CHANCY as witnesses.

RATLIFF ECHOLS, guardian for the orphans of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, dec., granted leave to hire out either public or private the negroes belonging to said orphans.

Page 113 - 7 Mar.1831: JACOB DUNN, executor of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to make his annual return for the year 1830.

WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of the estate of PINKEY YARBOROUGH, dec., granted leave to sell one half of land lot #11 in 12th District as part of real estate of said deceased and ordered that all persons concerned to file their objections to said sale within the time specified by law.

JAMES H. KILLEN, administrator on the estate of HENRY SHEPHARD, dec., made his return which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that the Clerk of this court may on all future occasions return to any executor, administrator, or guardian the vouchers accompaning annual returns - after the said returns are ordered to be recorded.

The return of THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS received as administrator on the estate of HENRY SHEPHARD, dec., and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that the appraisment on the estate of JAMES G. PARKS, dec., be received and recorded.

Ordered that SORVILE WOOLFOLK, LEWIS C. ALLEN, JAMES KIVLIN, SAMUEL K. HODGES, and BENJAMIN TARVER of Muscogee County be appointed appraisers to appraise such of the estate of JAMES G. PARKS, dec., as may be found by the administrator in said county of Muscogee.

ASA B. COOK's return ordered to be recorded.

The return of JOHN STAPLER ordered to be recorded.

LEVIN F. CHAIN granted until next term of court to make his return on the estate of E. STAFFORD, dec.

WILLIAM HADDOCK granted until next term of court to make his return on the estate of LUKE HADDOCK, dec.

HENRY SUMMERFORD was granted leave to make return to next term of court.

JAMES DEAN made his return as guardian for O. P. LOWE and it was ordered to be recorded.

JAMES DEAN, guardian for AUSTIN PERKINS, was granted leave to make a full return to the next term of court.

The return of ISAAC HOLMES was received and ordered recorded.

The return of JAMES ALBRITTON was received and ordered recorded.

PHILIP BAILEY made his return of accounts of sales and appraisements and was ordered to be recorded.

The return of JOHN QUICK, so far as to account of sales and appraisements, was ordered to be recorded.

The return of MICHAEL MADDEN was received and ordered to be recorded.

WILLIAM BYRD was granted leave until next term of court to make his return.

JOHN R. CENTREFIT made return of account of sales and it was ordered to be recorded. He was granted till next term of court to make a full return.

Page 116 - 2 May 1831: JULIET TYSON and AUGUSTUS B. HIGGS came before the court and were qualified as executors on the estate of STERLING TYSON, dec.

The court ordered that RANDAL YARBOROUGH be appointed guardian for JANE REID, an orphan of WILLIAM REID, dec., who is under age 14. Bond was set at $1000.

There appearing to be no amount specified in the bond given of WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of the estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., court set the amount at $4000.

The Will of STERLING TYSON, dec., being proven was ordered to be recorded.

It appearing to the court that REDDIN ROUSE, guardian for MARTHA SUTTON is mismanaging her estate and that ABNER WIMBERLY is one of his securities on his bond for guardianship - ordered that said REDDIN ROUSE show cause at next term of court why said ABNER WIMBERLY should not be discharged from his liability as security.

JOHN R. SENTERFIT, administrator of the estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec., came into court and in answer to the application of ANDERSON ROBERTSON for an order requiring this respondent as administrator to make title in conformity with the bond of said deceased to the lot of land in said bond described and for cause why such titles have not been made this respondent states that said ROBERTSON has not as yet paid the purchase money and this respondent is ready under the order of this court to make titles upon the purchase money being paid. Signed: JAMES M. KELLY acting for JOHN R. SENTERFIT.

It having been represented to this court that ELIZABETH MOBLY, a minor is possessed of or entitled to property which is within the said county and that she and her property are in the possession and custody of one WILLIAM BARRON and that said minor has been abused and badly treated by said WILLIAM BARRON and his wife. It is therefore ordered that said minor be brought before this court at next term, that she and her property be dispossed of by this court according to law.

On motion ordered that said ALLEN B. CHASTAIN be appointed administrator of said (not named) estate and that he give bond and security of $1000.

Ordered that the Clerk of this court notify all defaulting executors, administrators and guardians to appear and show cause by July term 1831 of this court why they are so in default.

Page 118 - 10 May 1831: Ordered that Letter of Dismission be granted to JACOB DUNN, executor of estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec.

Received of JACOB DUNN, executor of estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., $535 for JOHN S.

M. BALDWIN, WILLIAM W. BALDWIN and ROBERT F. BALDWIN, minors of said JOHN BALDWIN, dec. it being a part due them by said DUNN as executor - this 30 Mar.1830. Signed: JOHN STAPLES. (NOTE: This is an apparent omission that should have been recorded in earlier minutes.)

It appearing to the court that the bond given by WILLIAM BYRD as administrator on the estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., is no bond at all in point of law and that said administrator has been improvidently granted. It is on motion ordered that the same be revolked and said administration be set aside wholly and entirely - the said BYRD declining any administration on said estate.

Ordered that RUEBEN E. BROWN, ISHAM DINKINS, ELIJAH DEAN, DAVID PATTEN, and JOHN CHAMBERS be appointed appraisers of the estate of HENRY R. BLANCHARD, dec.

Ordered that JOHN QUICK, administrator on the estate of ELISHA COWART, dec., have leave to file a new bond with JOHN BECK and WINFER GRADDY as security for same amount as old bond.

Page 120 - 5 Sep.1831: The last Will and testament of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., was proven and ordered recorded. Letter of Testament was issued to HUGH L. IRWIN his executor.

The executors of DANIEL CLARK, dec., having presented the Will of said deceased and moved that the court admit it to record and their being no objections ordered that said Will be entered upon the records of this court. The court also ordered that JAMES DEAN, EDWARD ENGRAM, JOHN JONES, JOEL WALKER, and THOMAS DOLES be appointed appraisers to appraise said estate.

ISAAC TAYLOR, THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, RATLIFF ECKELS, SAMUEL GILMORE, and SIMON TAYLOR, Sr., were appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of THOMAS A. ERWIN (IRWIN).

Ordered that JOSHUA PATTISHALL, executor and SARAH CLARK, executrix of the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., are hereby authorized to sell the perishable property of said estate by advertising as the law directs.

WILLIAN BARRON, who had been cited to appear before the court and ELIZABETH BARRON an alleged minor having appeared and the court being satisfied that he was the guardian and no evidence of any cruel treatment having been made - the court ordered that said citation order be discharged.

WILLIAN BYRD, administrator of estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH granted leave to sell one half of land lot #11 in 12th District belonging to said estate. NOTE: The court had second thoughts about the revolking of the administration of WILLIAM BYRD at their May Term of court and dismissed that action on the basis that he had originaly complied with the law by giving bond and on motion ordered that he proceed to discharge his duties.

HUGH L. IRWIN, executor of estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., granted leave to sell half of land lot #257 in the 13th District and also a lot of land in Lee County drawn by said THOMAS A. IRWIN, and one shotgun, pursuant to the Will and upon giving legal notice.

LEMUEL COPPAGE, a minor having arrived at age 21 appeared in court and stated his guardian LEWIS COPPAGE had acted in good faith - on motion the court ordered Letter of Dismission to said guardian.

It appeared to the court that PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., while in life made bond dated 30 Jan.1830 to WILLIAM G. McNAIR and JOHN A. McNAIR for $450 which was to make title by 25 Dec.1830 to said WILLIAM G. & JOHN A. to the east half of land lot #11 in the 12th District and said YARBOROUGH departed this life without executing title - court ordered WILLIAM BYRD, administrator for the estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., to appear at next term of court to show why he should not execute said title. A copy of the bond followed this entry showing WILLIAM (x) IREDELL and D. McNAIR as witnesses to signature of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH.

The petition dated 5 Sep.1831 by JOSHUA PATTISHALL, executor and SARAH (x) CLARK, executrix of the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., stated land lot #15 in the 5th District was mostly cleared and in cultivation and it would be for benefit of the legatees that said plantation be sold as soon as possible. Court ordered that all persons concerned show cause why such action should not be taken within the time cited by law.

JAMES JONES, security for JOHN CHANCEY, administrator upon the estate of EDMUND CHANCEY, dec., requested the court that he be dismissed from said security. The court ordered JOHN CHANCEY to show cause at next term of court why said JAMES JONES should not be dismissed.

LUNSFORD PITTS, one of the administrators on the estate of L. C. PITTS, dec., was authorized to amend his return for year 1830 so far as regards the hire of negro slave Hector to LEWIS JOURDAN for $101.50, also a boy Albert to HENRY PITTS for $102.00, and a girl Sophia to RUTH PITTS for $28.00 omitted in said return.

The petition of GEORGE B. McCOLLUM showed that WILLIAM, MARGARET, and WILSON McCOLLUM, minors of JOHN McCOLLUM, dec., have and possess land lot #352 in the 20th District of Muscogee County and land lot #146 in the 3rd District of Muscogee County and being without guardian prays he may be appointed. Court approved his petition on his giving bond and security for $1000.

The Will of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., having been proven was ordered to be admitted to record and that Letters of Testamentory be granted SIMON BATEMAN and WILLIAM S. BRUNSON as executors.

FREDERICK WATSON, WILLIAM SMITH Sr., ABNER WIMBERLY, ALEXANDER SMITH, and ROBERT D. SINCLAIR were appointed as appraisers of the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec.

It appearing to the court that the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., is somewhat involved and that there is not sufficient money or notes on hand to pay the same - court ordered the executors to sell so much of the personal property, except the negroes, as necessary to pay debts.

JOSHUA PATTISHALL, executor and SARAH (x) CLARK, executrix of the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., in petition to court stated the deceased died possessed of a large estate of negro property, some of which were bequested away and nine left to be divided among twelve heirs which is impossible and they requested the nine be sold. The court agreed and ordered all persons concerned to show cause why such action should not be taken.

Court directed JOHN R. SENTERFIT, administrator of the estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, dec., to execute title to ANDERSON ROBERTSON for land lot #174 in the 17th District of Muscogee County. Rule "nisi" having been applied and no cause or objections made and same having been published according to law.

Page 127 - 7 Nov.1831: JOHN FLETCHER, administrator on the estate of JAMES R. PARKS, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate upon giving notice in some public gazette of this state as required by law.

WILLIAM McKENZIE appointed by the Court of Ordinary Twiggs County as guardian of the person and property of SARAH and ELIZABETH SUTTON, minors of JAMES SUTTON of Twiggs County, dec., and said guardian now being a citizen of Houston County and desirious to remove guardianship to this county - on motion ordered that on his giving bond with JOHN M. MOORE and JOHN McKENZIE as security in sum of $3000 and his compling with other provisions of the law said guardianship be removed to this county.

REDDIN ROUSE, guardian of MARTHA SUTTON, minor of JAMES SUTTON, dec., requested dismissal and WILLIAM McKENZIE consented to take the guardianship in his stead - on motion the court approved the change in guardianship upon WILLIAM McKENZIE giving bond with JOHN M. MOORE and JOHN McKENZIE as his security in the sum of $1500.

The estate of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec., being yet undivided and according to the Will the time for a dividion of the young negroes had arrived - court ordered that JOHN JONES, OSBORN WIGGINS, HENRY WIMBERLY, JOEL WALKER, and MATHEW SYKES make a division of said negroes.

ALLEN B. CHASTAIN, administrator on the estate of HENRY R. BLANCHARD, dec., authorized to sell the real estate of said estate upon giving notice in some public gazette of this state agreeable to law.

GEORGE McCOLLUM, guardian of the orphans of JOHN McCOLLUM, dec., ordered to sell the real estate of said orphans after giving legal notice in some public gazette of this state in conformity to law.

Page 130 - 16 Nov.1831: GEORGE PATTEN, security for JANE OUTLAW administratrix on the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW, dec., requested to be dismissed from his securityship. Court ordered the administratrix to show cause at next term of court why the request should not be granted.

Page 131 - 2 Jan.1832: At the request of the administrator of the estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., to sell the undivided half of land lot #10 in the 12th District, the court ordered all persons concerned to file their objection if any with the clerk within four months.

JANE OUTLAW, administratrix on the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW, dec., allowed until next term of court to make her annual report.

WILLIAM SAMUEL WHITFIELD, son of GEORGE B. WHITFIELD, and owner in his own right of certain negro property in possession of his father, petitioned the court to appoint JAMES A. EVERETT of Crawford County as his guardian. The court noting that the father as natural guardian had never given bond and security as required by law appointed JAMES A. EVERETT of all and singular the property of said minor upon his giving bond and security of $6000.

FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN and his wife ELIZABETH C. CHAIN, formerly ELIZABETH C. McBRIDE administratrix on the estate of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., appeared in court and stated they were desirous of discharging MICHAEL WATSON as her security. Court approved that said MICHAEL WATSON be discharged by next term of court and the JOHN CHAIN and SOLOMON SIMPSON be received by the clerk as security.

ISAAC TAYLOR, guardian of DELANY HAWKINS, granted leave to hir out privately the negro woman of his ward and granted leave to allow WILLIAM SHEPPARD the person who hired said negro last year the sum of $5 for expenses and trouble in the lying in of said negro.

JAMES A. EVERETT, guardian of the property of WILLIAM SAMUEL WHITFIELD, came into court and gave bond and security. He was qualified and given Letter of Guardianship.

JOSHUA PATTISHALL, one of the executors on estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., was allowed till next term of court to make his return.

JOHN CHANCEY, administrator on the estate of EDMUND CHANCEY, was allowed till next term of court to make his annual return.

WILLIAM SAMUEL WHITFIELD representing EMILY ELIZABETH WHITFIELD daughter of GEORGE B. WHITFIELD told the court that she is owner in her own right of certain negro property in the possession of her father and that her father as natural guardian has never given bond or security for the Will management thereof as required by law. The court ordered GEORGE B. WHITFIELD to give bond and security as the natural guardian of said EMILY ELIZABETH by the third monday in this month in sum of $6000 and on his failing to do so the court will appoint some other person.

Ordered that the County Treasurer pay over to BURWELL WILSON $25 out of non-appropriated money for the benefit of POLLY SAMPSON a widow and he make a showing to this court how he disposed of same.

SARAH S. MORELAND, executrix of T. H. MORELAND, dec., granted leave to make her return at next term of court or as soon thereafter as convenient.

SARAH CLARK, executrix of the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., granted until March Term to make her annual return.

JAMES H. KILLEN and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrators on the estate of HENRY SHEPPARD, dec., granted leave until next term of court to make their annaul return.

CHARLES F. PATTILLO, MARK M. BROWN, GEORGE WILLIAMS, LUNSFORD PITTS, and RICHARD JOHNSON Jr., were authorized to proceed to ascertain and assign to ELVY COOPER, formerly ELVY YARBOROUGH, her share and part in seven negroe slaves the property of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec.

JANE OUTLAW, administratrix of the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW, dec., allowed until next term of court to make her annual return.

JOHN CHANCEY, administrator on the estate of EDMUND CHANCEY, dec., allowed until next term of court to make his annual return.

BARNEY IVY, DAVID JAMESON, JAMES DEAN, EDWARD ENGRAM, and JOHN JONES were appointed and authorized to distribute to the heirs of DANIEL CLARK, dec., their proportionate part in nine negroes of said estate not yet divided.

JOSHUA PATTISHALL, executor on the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., granted until next term of court to make his return.

Ordered that $15 be appropriated to the support of SARAH DAVIS and that EDWARD ENGRAM be appointed her agent for the year 1832.

Authorized the executors of DANIEL CLARK, dec., to sell land lot #15 in the 5th District, agreeable to former application.

Ordered the County Treasurer to pay over to DAVID JAMESON $25, out of non-appropriated money, for the benefit of Mrs. ELIZABETH HAYS.

Ordered that JOHN SPURLIN be appointed agent for POLLY KELLY and that $15 be appropriated to her support for year 1832.

MOURNING RODGES and DAVID ADAMS applied for Letter of Administration upon the estate of HENRY RODGERS, dec. Court ordered all persons concerned to show cause within time prescribed by law why such action should not be taken.

The estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH 1831 to Dr. ELI COOPER. To board and clothing of three children from 11 Nov.1830 till 1 Jan.1832 at 50 = $150.

The estate of MOSES CHRISTMAS, dec to DANIEL CLARK Jr., 7 Mar.1831. Taking care and boarding one negro child named William age 3 for year 1830, $15. The court ordered that he be allowed $20 for same.

We hereby acknowledge notice with regard to application for distribution of the undivided part of the estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., and waive the necessity of 20 days required by law and agree that an order for distribution may be passed by the Court of Ordinary instantis - 2 Jan.1832. Signed: LOAM BROWN; WILLIAM J. CLARK; DANIEL CLARK; SARAH CLARK for herself and WILEY CLARK, SARAH CLARK, HILIARD J. CLARK and MARY C. CLARK; JOHN G. CLARK; AND DRURY CLARK.

Page 137 - 16 Jan.1832: HUGH LAWSON, who had obtained temporary Letter of Administration on the estate of RATLIFF ECKLES who died lately intestate, stated to the court there were negroes and land that belonged to said estate that will be of little or no value to those interested if it is not disposed of for the present year before he obtain permanent letters. Court therefore ordered that HUGH LAWSON be authorized to hire out the negroes and rent out the land of the estate of RATLIFF ECKLES.

JOHN QUICK, administrator on the estate of ELISHA COWART, dec., granted leave to make his annual return at anytime before the next term of court.

Whereas at the regular Jan. Term 1832 of this court there were sundry orders passed for the maintenance of the poor, including POLLY SIMPSON, SARAH DAVIS, ELIZABETH HAYS, and POLLY KELLY, and whereas the Inferior Court has exclusive jurisdiction in such matters, they were ordered revolked having been improvidently granted.

RATLIFF ECHOLS, guardian of the property of FURNEY H. SHEPPARD infant orphan of HENRY SHEPPARD, dec., having departed this life and said infant now without guardian and JOHN JOINER and ELIZABETH JOINER his wife and mother of said orphan being desirious of the guardianship of said orphan - court approved and granted Letters of Guardianship upon their giving bond of $1400 with HARDY BUCK and LUNSFORD PITTS as security.

WILLIAM S. COULSON granted Letters of Guardianship on the estates of BURTON PITTS, DAVID PITTS, and MARY PITTS, upon his giving bond and security of $2000.

Page 139 - 27 Feb.1832: CYNTHIA K. ALLEN, administrator upon the estate of HARRIS ALLEN, dec., gave bond of $9000 with WILLIAM B. BALL and GEORGE PATTEN as security.

Page 139 - 5 Mar.1832: CHARLES F. PATTILLO, MILES HOWARD, JOHN JOINER, WILLIAM JOHNSON, and AARON JOHNSON appointed appraiser on the estate of JOHN CARUTHERS, dec., which may be produced to them by DELAMAN CLAYTON, administrator.

DELAMAN CLAYTON, administrator of the estate of JOHN CARUTHERS, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate, hire out the negroes, and rent the land on Saturday, 10 March.

HUGH L. IRWIN, executor on the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., and JAMES DEAN, guardian for AUSTIN PERKINS and OBEDIANCE P. LOWE, have until the next term of court to make their annual returns.

DAVID H. CHEWNING appointed administrator on the estate of WILLIAM J.V. CHEWNING, dec.

MICHAEL WATSON, PERRY WIMBERLY, HARDY BUCK, ABNER WIMBERLY, and FREDERICK MIMS, appointed appraisers on the estate of WILLIAM J. V. CHEWNING.

DAVID H. CHEWNING, administrator on the estate of WILLIAM J. V. CHEWNING, dec., granted leave to sell the personal property of said estate after advertising same according to law.

MOURNING ROGERS and DAVID ADAMS granted Letters of Administration on the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec., upon giving bond of $1000 with MORRIS POLLOCK and JOHN B. ALEXANDER as security.

ELIZABETH McBRIDE now ELIZABETH CHAIN guardian of the person and property of MELISSA F., JULIA, MARY, ALONZO C., and EMILY McBRIDE, and said ELIZABETH having signified to this court that she is desirious of releasing and discharging MICHEAL WATSON as her security. Court approved on said ELIZABETH giving bond with SOLOMON SIMPSON and JOHN CHAIN as security.

JOHN WEST, HENRY SUMERFORD, WILLIAM FAILS, JAMES H. KILLEN, and EDWARD A. ROBINSON appointed appraisers on the estate of RATLIFF ECHOLS, dec.

It appearing to this court that HUGH LAWSON was capable of taking upon himself the administration of the estate of RATLIFF ECHOLS, dec., and HUGH L. IRWIN having presented himself and signified to this court that he is willing to take the administration - the court ordered that Letter of Administration upon the estate of RATLIFF ECHOLS be granted

HUGH L. IRWIN upon his giving bond of $6000 with THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and JAMES H. KELLEN as security.

Ordered that FUNTLEROY F. CHAIN be appointed guardian of OLIVER ANTHONY, a negro boy of color.

JOHN YOUNG, DAVID L. MORRIS, WILLIAM MIZZEL, ELIJAH PEARCE, and WILLIAM BRYAN were appointed appraisers of the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec.

CHARLES F. PATTILLO, MARK M. BROWN, MILES HARRELL, WILLIAM S. COALSON, and LUNSFORD PITTS, appointed appraisers of the estate of JOHN WHEELER, dec.

DAVID BRUNSON, FREDERICK WATSON, SOLOMON FOREHAND, NEEDOM SMITH, and ROBERT D. St. CLAIR appointed appraisers of the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec.

Miss EMILY ELIZABETH WHITFIELD having signified to this court that she is satisfied with management of her property by her father - on motion ordered that the proceeding heretofore instituted with regard to her cease and be amended.

Ordered that the Clerk advertise according to law that JOHN CHANCEY, administrator on the estate of EDMUND CHANCEY, dec., applied for Letter of Dismission.

THOMAS HOWELL produced satisfactory evidence that he had fully administered the estate of JOHN HOWELL, dec., according to the Will and testament of said deceased.

HENRY PITTS and THOMAS HOWELL, executors of the estate of JOHN HOWELL, dec., approved for Letters of Dismission unless cause be shown to the court within six months from this date and that this order be published in some public gazette of this state once a month for six months.

Page 143 - 28 Mar.1832: DANIEL DUPREE, WILLIAM H. DUPREE, JEREMIAH DUPREE, THOMAS GILBERT and JOHN TONLINSON appointed to appraise and value the estate of HATTING DUPREE. A copy of the appointment order followed which contained reference to appraising all property "produced to you by JOHN G. DUPREE, administrator".

Page 144 - 7 May 1832: WILLIAM BYRD, administrator on the estate of PINCKNEY YARBOROUGH dec., granted leave to sell one half of lot #10 in the 12th District for the benefit of heirs and creditors after advertising according to law.

DELAMA CLAYTON appointed administrator on the estate of JOHN CARRUTHERS, dec. Bond set at $1200 with WILLIAM BYRD and WILLIAM S. COALSON his security.

SAMUEL B. WEBB appointed guardian of WESTLEY, WILLIAM, and WILLOT YARBOROUGH, orphans of P. YARBOROUGH, dec., and gave bond of $3000.

JOHN RAWLS, in his petition to the court, stated PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., while in life and with URIAH YARBOROUGH made bond to TUTTLE H. MORELAND on 9 Jan.1822 for $200 and that said deceased was to make titles to land lot #93 in the 12th District. On 30 May 1822 TUTTLE H. MORELAND signed said bond to JOHN RAWLS, your petitioner. On motion the court ordered WILLIAM BYRD, administrator, to show cause in the time prescribed by law why he should not make and execute titles to said lot of land to JOHN RAWLS. A copy of the bond made in Pulaski County followed and contained essentialy the information above but listed the land lot as #93 in the 13th District of Houston County. Witnesses to bond were: B. BARKER and WESLEY YARBOROUGH.

MOURNING RODGERS and DAVID ADAMS, administrators of the estate of HENRY RODGERS, dec., presented the appraisment of said estate by ROBERT D. SINCLAIR, SOLOMON FOREHAND, and DAVID BRUNSON - court ordered it be recorded according to law.

THOMAS GARDNER, executor of the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec., presented the appraisement of the property of said estate under the hand of JOHN YOUNG, DAVID L. MORRIS, and WILLIAM MIZELL which was received and ordered recorded.

Ordered that the appraisment of the estate of WILLIAM J. V. CHEWNING be received and recorded.

Page 147 - 2 Jul.1832: Ordered that SOLOMON SIMPSON, one of the securities for FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN guardian for ELMIRA, ALONZO, FRANCIS, MARY, JULIA and SUSAN McBRIDE,be authorized to sign the bond of said guardian for $4000 at any time before the clerk of this court and that the return heretofore made by said guardian be set aside as informal.

On motion of ARTHUR A. MORGAN, attorney for JOHN RAWLS, the court setting for ordinary purposes ordered that WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of estate of PINKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., show cause why he should not issue title to land lot #93 in the 13th District of Houston County pursuant to a bond signed by said PINKNEY YARBOROUGH while in life. This entry contained the same information and repeated a copy of the bond referenced in the minutes of 7 May 1832 but showed the addition of the assignment of the bond by TUTTLE H.

MORELAND to JOHN RAWLS on 30 May 1822 which was witnessed by G. B. GARDNER. The court further ordered that this order be published in one of the Pulaski gazettes.

WILLIAM JONES appointed administrator on the estate of JAMES JONES, dec., upon his giving bond of $3000 with JESSE WALL and JOHN PEDDY as security.

DAVID H. CHEWNING, administrator on the estate of WILLIAM J.V. CHEWNING, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased for benefit of heirs and creditors.

JOHN CHANCEY, administrator upon the estate of EDMUND CHANCEY, applied for Letter of Dismission. Court approved.

LARRY C. MANNING, JAMES CLARK, THOMAS McWILLIAMS, MITCHELL M. TOMLIN, and SAMUEL GILMORE appointed appraisers for the estate of JAMES JONES, dec.

THOMAS HALL made personal application for the appointment of HENRY GRIFFIN as guardian for his person and property. Court approved and set bond at $150 with WILL WILSON as security.

ALLEN B. CHASTAIN, administrator of the estate of HENRY R. BLANCHARD, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased subject to the widow dower for the benefit of the heirs and creditors.

Page 150 - 3 Sep.1832: JOHN S. M. BALDWIN, by his agent and attorney in fact WILLIAM W. BALDWIN, granted leave to sell the real estate of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., same having been advertised according to law.

A rule "nisi" having been taken at Sep. Term 1831 for WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of the estate of P. YARBOROUGH, dec., to show cause why he should not execute titles to JOHN A. & WILLIAM G. McNAIR to east half of Lot #11 in the 12th District and no cause having been shown to contrary the court ordered that the administrator execute title and rule "nisi" hereby made absolute.

Page 151 - 10 Sep.1832: JOHN M. SMITH, HARDY HARGROVE, JAMES G. BASKIN, JAMES A. BRYAN, and MEREDITH JOINER appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of CHARLES CULPEPPER and the estate of RACHEL CULPEPPER, both deceased.

SARAH CLARK, natural guardian for SARAH, WILEY, and HILLYARD CLARK minors of DANIEL CLARK, dec., ordered to appear at next regular term of court to give bond and security for the faithful management of the property in her possession belonging to said minors and her failing to comply the court will proceed thereon as justice shall assertain.

GEORGE McCOLLUM, guardian for WILLIAM, MARGARET, and WILSON McCOLLUM minors and orphans of JOHN McCOLLUM, dec., granted leave to sell said minors property consisting of land lot #352 in the 20th District formerly Muscogee County now Harris County, and land lot #146 in the 3rd District formerly Muscogee County now Marion County.

Page 153 - 5 Nov.1832: LEWIS PEACOCK, executor of SARAH KILLEN, dec., was qualified and the Will admitted to record. (NOTE: SARAH KILLEN listed as JANE KILLEN in Will.)

DELAMAR CLAYTON, administrator of the estate of JOHN CARRUTHERS, dec., granted leave to sell one negro girl named Mary about 11 years old upon compling with the law in such sales made or provided for the benefit of the heirs and creditors.

ALLEN WILLIAMS appointed guardian of CHARLES EDWARDS an orphan of WILLIAM EDWARDS, dec., late of Twiggs County, on his giving bond and security for $2000.

THOMAS GARDNER, executor for the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell the personal property belonging to said estate or so much thereof as will be sufficient to pay said demands.

HUGH IRWIN, executor of the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN late of this county, dec., granted leave to sell that part of the real estate of said deceased which was not disposed of by Will testament it being the undivided half of land lot #257 in the 13th District and fully appearing to be for the benefit of the heirs and creditors. Executor to give notice required by law.

HUGH L. IRWIN, administrator of the estate of RATLIFF ECKELS, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes and real estate of said deceased.

DAVID ADAMS, administrator of the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec., granted leave to rent the plantation of said deceased for the ensuing year.

RANDAL YARBOROUGH guardian of JANE REED granted leave to sale the interest of said minor in land lot #208 in the 15th District of Muscogee County, after advertising the same according to law.

ELIJAH DEAN, DAVID PATTON, IRA T. HOBBS, JAMES FITZGERALD, and VINCENT CALHOUN were appointed to appraise the estate of JOHN CHAMBERS, dec.

Page 155 - 4 Dec.1832: EDWARD L. McCREA, a minor appeared before court and requested GEORGE KNOWLES be appointed his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $4000 with DANIEL B. LOWE as security.

Satisfactory evidence was produced to court that JRAIL & SOLOMON, WATSON & WILLIAMS, and SAMUEL GAUFF are the true and lawful heirs at law of JESSE WATSON late a soldier in the 8th Regiment of Infantry.

Page 156 - 7 Jan.1833: Court ordered that all executors, guardians, and administrators have leave until next regular term of this court to make their returns.

The Will of JESSE POLLOCK, dec., ordered to be admitted to record and Letters of Testamentry issued FREDERICK WATSON, Sr., and LEWIS POLLOCK, as executors.

MICHAEL WATSON, A. WIMBERLY, JAMES WIMBERLY, WILLIAM CUNYUS, and F. WATSON appointed to appraise the personal property of STERLING TISON, dec.

JOSEPH HANCOCK, ALEXANDER SMITH, DAVID BRUNSON, WILLIAM BRUNSON, and HENRY CUNYUS - (This entry was not completed as to their assignment).

AUGUSTUS B. HIGGS, executor of the estate of STERLING TISON, dec., granted leave to sell lots #60 and #61 in the 11th District., and all perishable property of said deceased, he having given legal notice.

JACOB BUSBY, late guardian of BETSY M. SELF, having produced to the court the following certificate of her intermarriage with JAMES DAVIDSON is ordered discharged from said guardianship. Twiggs County, GA. - This is to certify neither of us have demand against JACOB BUSBY as guardian for ELIZABETH MOURNING SELF. - This is to certify that I, JAMES DAVIDSON, have married ELIZABETH MOURNING SELF Nov. 26, 1832. Signed JAMES (x) DAVIDSON, and ELIZABETH (x) MOURNING SELF.

Page 157 - 29 Jan.1833: CYNTHIA K. ALLEN, administratrix for the estate of HARRIS ALLEN, dec., having advertised through the medium of the Macon Telegraph according to law, is granted leave to sell a house and lot in the town of Clinton, Jones County and lot #263 in the 3rd District of Coweta County, as property of the deceased.

HUGH L. IRWIN, executor of the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., granted leave to rent the real estate of said deceased at private contract.

PAMELIA CHEWNING, widow of WILLIAM J.V. CHEWNING, dec., appointed guardian for her children FRANCINA and JOHN ADAMS CHEWNING upon her giving bond in the sum of $1200.

HARDY HARGROVE and CAMILLA LIPTROT, temporary administrators on the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., were discharged from said temporary administration as a Will of said HOPKINS LIPTROT has been introduced in court as a bar to permanent letters of administration being granted on said estate.

JAMES N. HADDOCK, minor and orphan of WILLIAM HADDOCK, late of Pulaski County, dec., being over age 14 and desirious that JOHN JOINER, his step-father, be appointed the guardian of his person and property and it appearing to the court that SIMON HADDOCK, MARY ANN HADDOCK, and WILLIAM ANN(?) HADDOCK, minors and orphan of said deceased being under age 14 have no guardian - court ordered that JOHN JOINER be appointed guardian of said four orphan and that Letter of Guardianship be issued to him upon his giving bond of $1200 with WILLIAM BYRD as security.

Page 159 - 4 Mar.1833: MILES HARRELL, CHARLES F. PATTILLO, WILLIAM S. COALSON, JEREMIAH SMITH, and NATHANEL JOHNSON were appointed to divide the estate of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec.

Rule "nisi" having been taken at the instance of JOHN RAWLS against WILLIAM BYRD, administrator of the estate of PINCKNEY YARBOROUGH, dec., to show cause why he should not execute to said RAWLS a deed to lot #93 in the 13th District in performance of a bond made by said deceased in his life time. No cause having been shown to the contrary the court directed the administrator to make and execute said deed.

THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., late guardian of HUGH L. IRWIN. To said HUGH L. IRWIN. 22 Mar.1822: To this amount due under the Will of WILLIAM IRWIN, dec., of Washington County - $400. 1823: To amount received by said THOMAS A. from my part of the farm for 1823 - $150. 1824: To amount received by said THOMAS A. from my part of the farm for 1824 - $150. 1825: To amount received by said THOMAS A. from sale of Beef Cattle - $50. 1826: To amount received by said THOMAS A. for my half lot of land drawn by said WILLIAM IRWIN, dec., - $25. 1828: To amount received by said THOMAS A. for the hire of my negro James - $75. To amount received by said THOMAS A. for the hire of my negro Anthony - $75. 1829: To amount recieved by said THOMAS A. for the hire of negro James - $65. To amount received by said THOMAS A. for the hire of my negro Anthony - $65. HUGH L. IRWIN, execu-

tor for the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., personaly appeared in open court and swore that the written amount is just and true and begs leave to retain the said sum out of the estate of said deceased.

ALLEN WINHAM, temporary administrator on the estate of ORRIN STEPHENS, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate after advertising the same according to law. CHARLES F. PATTILLO, JOHN JOINER, MILES HARRELL, JOHN M. SMITH, and WILLIAM COALSON authorized to appraise said estate.

HUGH L. IRWIN, executor of the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., who after being duly sworn stated on oath the amounts the notes returned in the appraisment of the estate of said deceased as the property of said deceased are the joint and equal property of he and the deceased as co-partners. The court then allowed the executor to charge the estate with one half of the principal and interest due, being the sum of $492 and 8 & 3/4th cents.

Page 163 - 1 Apr.1833: ROBERT F. GLENN, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM D. GLENN, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate, after advertising according to law.

BENJAMIN CRUM, in right of his wife ELIZA CRUM formerly ELIZA YARBOROUGH one of the heirs at law of JOHN YARBOROUGH, dec., a soldier of the United States Army in the war against Great Britian having applied in terms of the law for Letter of Administration on the estate of said deceased. Court approved and granted Letter of Administration on him giving bond with ARTHUR A. MORGAN and JAMES M. KELLY as security in sum of $150.

DAVID H. CHEWNING appointed administrator of the estate of DAVID CHEWNING, dec., upon his giving bond of $2500 with WILLIAM MANSON as security.

PERRY WIMBERLY, CREED T. WOODSON, BENJAMIN BRYAN, ALEXANDER SMITH, and FREDERICK WATSON were appointed commissioners to divide the estate of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., so far as to set off to JOHN J. HOWELL who intermarried with ELMIRA McBRIDE one of the heirs, his portion of said estate.

McKINNE HOWELL, PERRY WIMBERLY, ABNER WIMBERLY, FREDERICK D. WIMBERLY and MICHAEL WATSON were appointed to appraise the estate of DAVID CHEWNING, dec., in Houston Co.

GIDEON WATSON, JOHN SCOCKLEY, IGNATIUS WRIGHT, JOHN NELSON, and JOHN COTTON were appointed to appraise the estate of DAVID CHEWNING, dec., as lies in Monroe County.

Page 165 - 6 May 1833: The Will of FLEMING SHIVER, dec., was ordered to be recorded.

HUGH LAWSON, SIMEON TAYLOR, ROBERT HOLTON, SAMUEL HOLTON, and RICHARD SPENCE were appointed to appraise the estate of FLEMING SHIVER, dec.

ALLEN WINHAM appointed administrator on the estate of ORRIN STEPHENS, dec., upon giving bond for $1200 with WILLIAM S. COALSON as security.

WILLIAM S. COALSON, appointed guardian to SANDERS C. ECKELS, minor of RATLIFF ECKELS dec., upon giving bond of $1200 with ALLEN WINHAM as security.

JOHN J. HOWELL appointed guardian for ALONZO C. McBRIDE, a minor over age 14 of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., upon his giving bond of $1200 with McKINNE HOWELL his security.

SARAH MORELAND, executrix of the estate of TUTTLE H. MORELAND, granted leave to make her return to the clerk at next term of court.

HENRY GRIFFIN, guardian of THOMAS HALL, granted leave to sell the interest of said minor in land lot #26 in the 7th District originally Troup County now Meriwether County, he having given notice and advertised according to law.

Receipt dated 4 Nov.1831: Received of SIMON BATEMAN and WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, executors of the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., one horse and feather bed. Signed: ELIZABETH S. BRUNSON.

Receipt dated 4 Nov.1831: Received of SIMON BATEMAN and WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, executors of the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., one horse and feather bed. Signed: MARY ANN BRUNSON.

Page 167 - 1 Jul.1833: THOMAS W. BURTON, guardian of VIRGINIUS BURTON of the county of Columbia, expressed his desire to remove said guardianship from Columbia County to this county. He was granted leave to do so and file his bond and security in the sum of $1400.

ALLEN SUTTON, administrator of the estate of WILSON EDWARDS, dec., having fully administered said estate and taken rule nisi for purpose of dismission - court ordered he be issued a Letter of Dismission.

ROBERT F. GLENN granted Letter of Administration on the estate of WILLIAM D. GLENN, dec., on his filing bond in sum of $2000 with HUGH LAWSON his security.

ALEXANDER SMITH, CREED T. WOODSON, PERRY WIMBERLY, FREDERICK WATSON, and BENJAMIN BRYAN appointed commissioners to divide and set off to the guardian of ALONZO McBRIDE, the guardian of MELISSA F. McBRIDE and F. F. CHAIN, their respective protions of the estate of JOHN McBRIDE, dec.

The Will of SAMPSON POWELL, dec., was proven and ordered to be recorded.

Court was informed that it was the wish of ORRIN STEPHEN, dec., before his death, that his children should be bound out and noting that the estate of PRYOR STEPHEN, minor orphan of said deceased is not sufficient to maintain, cloth and educate the said minor. Therefore upon consent of LEWIS PEACOCK, said orphan was bound to him until he is 21 years of age.

ABNER WIMBERLY, JAMES WINBERLY, FREDERICK WATSON, FREDERICK WIMBERLY, and HENRY CUNYUS were appointed and authorized to set off and assign property of STERLING TISON, dec., to his heirs.

Page 170 - 9 Sep.1833: The Will of JOSEPH CUTTS, dec., was proven and admitted to record.

JOHN M. SMITH, JAMES ENGRAM, ISAAC HOLMES, RICHARD JOHNSON Sr., and LOVERD PEARCE were appointed to appraise the estate of JOSEPH CUTTS, dec.

CAMILLA LIPTROT and HARDY HARGROVE were appointed administrators on the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec.

JOHN LIPTROT, brother of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., being dissatisfied with the decision of the court in that HARDY HARGROVE a stranger to the deceased was by said order joined with the widow in lieu of the next of kin, came forward pays all cost and brings EDWARD ENGRAM who togeather acknowledge themselves bound for all future costs and the said JOHN therefore craves an appeal which is hereby granted.

Page 171 - 4 Nov.1833: D. B. LOWE, administrator on the estate of JOHN CHAMBERS, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

DAVID H. CHEWNING, having fully administered the estate of WILLIAM J.V. CHEWNING, dec., and the same regularly advertised without objection filed, was granted Letter of Dismission.

DAVID H. CHEWNING, administrator with the Will annexed on the estate of DAVID CHEWNING, dec., granted leave to sell negroes Charles and Esther for benefit of heirs and creditors.

CLIFTON SWILLEY, was bound unto NATHEN BUSBY until he is twenty-one years of age. Said BUSBY was given Letter of Indenture to fund, clothe, and give said minor twelve months of schooling. Bond set at $200.

ALLEN WYNHAM, administrator of the estate of ORRIN STEPHEN, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased lying in Houston County. Such sale having been advertised and no objections filed.

CAMILLA LIPTROT and HARDY HARGROVE ordered to give bond and security of $5000 for administration of the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec. JOHN M. SMITH, SAMPSON CULPEPPER, ROBERT BASKIN, JOHN LIPTROT, and WILLIAM BRYAN appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of said deceased.

JOHN BRYAN, guardian for the orphans of HARDY B. PRICE, late of North Carolina, dec. granted leave to remove the guardianship of said orphans from Monroe County on giving bond for $3000 with LITTLE BRYAN his security.

ROBERT W. BASKIN appointed guardian in lieu of JOHN HUGHES, by his consent, for the orphans of WILLIAM WHITE, dec., late of Wilkinson County., on giving bond of $2000 with HARDY HARGROVE as security.

Perry, 10 Aug.1833: We hereby consent and agree that the Inferior Court of the County of Houston at its next setting as a court of ordinary may grant an order of division of the estate of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, dec., among the heirs, we representing said heirs and we hereby waive the notice required by law. Signed: W. S. COALSON, guardian and HUGH L. IRWIN, administrator.

ENOCH SHIVER, one of the executors of FLEMING SHIVER, dec., came before the court and qualified as executor of the Will of said deceased.

WILLIAM JONES, administrator of the estate of JAMES JONES, dec., authorized to divide the real estate among the heirs of said deceased. THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, JOSIAH M.

THOMLEY, SAMUEL GILMORE, LARRY MANNING, and JAMES BURNSIDE were appointed to divided the said estate in conformity to law.

HUGH L. IRWIN, executor of the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and negroes of the deceased for the benefit of the creditors and heirs. The same having been publicly advertised according to law and no objections filed.

Whereas RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., late of Houston County, before and at time of his death was guardian of the persons and property of BURTON, DAVID, and MARY PITTS, minors and orphans of LUNSFORD C. PITTS, dec., and such guardian was in possession of two negro men by the name of Allen and Hector, and one negro woman by name of Sophy who had a child since the death of the said RATLIFF and which child is living, and whereas the negroes aforesaid are subject and liable to be equally divided between said orphans and the said RATLIFF in right of his wife RUTH ECKLES formerly RUTH PITTS widow of said L. C. PITTS, dec., and mother of said orphans, and whereas HUGH L. IRWIN has been duly and legaly appointed administrator on the estate of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., and as such administrator has become posessed of the said negroes, and that WILLIAM S. COALSON, guardian as aforesaid hereby advertising it - on motion ordered that JOHN WEST, HENRY SUMMERFORD, BAPTIST SCOTT, THOMAS TAYLOR, and SAMUEL GILMORE be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to divide the negroes aforesaid into four parts as nearly equal as practicable by causing those parts which are not valuable to contribute to those of less value and to set off to the said WILLIAM S. COALSON, guardian aforesaid three of the said four parts thereof and to the said HUGH L. IRWIN, administrator as aforesaid the remaining fourth part it being the part to which the said RATLIFF in right of his wife RUTH ECKLES was legally entitled - and to deliver to said WILLIAM S. COALSON, guardian as aforesaid the parts that shall be set off to him as aforesaid upon his complying with the terms of said division and giving a pending bond to the said HUGH L. IRWIN, administrator as aforesaid in the terms of the law.

Page 175 - 25 Nov.1833: SAMPSON CULPEPPER, JAMES G. BASKIN, JOHN M. SMITH, ROBERT BEATTY, and JAMES A. BRYAN were authorized and empowered to divide land lot #63 in the 13th District of Houston County, beig part of the real estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., and set off to the heirs of said deceased the protion thereof belonging to the widow and orphans of said deceased -- and make their return to the next January Term of court or sooner if practicable.

Page 175 - 2 Dec.1833: ELIZABETH RIGGINS, widow of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec., appointed administratrix and given Letter of Administration on estate of said deceased, on her giving bond of $10000 with JOHN SUTTON and WILLIAM McKENZIE as her security.

VINCENT CALHOUN, ELIJAH BURNAM, LITTLETON SPIVEY, HORACE R. BRUNSON, and WRIGHT JONES were appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM RIGGINS, dec.

Page 176 - 26 Dec.1833: JAMES E. DUNCAN, JAMES H. BARRETT(?), appointed administrators on the estate of EDWARD WELCH, dec., on their giving bond of $2000 with RICHARD SMITH as security.

PETER V. GUERRY, ARTHUR A. MORGAN, RICHARD SMITH, EDWIN MOUNGER, and FRANCIS W. JOBSON were appointed to appraise the estate of EDWARD WELCH, dec.

NATHANIEL GAMMAGE appointed administrator on the estate of WILLIAM GAMMAGE, dec., on giving bond of $800 with JOHN GAMMAGE as his security.

ELIJAH PEARCE, EZEKIEL ADAMS, JOHN LONG, RASEO LIPSY, and WILLIAM FELTON, appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM GAMMAGE, dec.

WILLIAM HOLLYMAN appointed guardian for THOMAS METHVIN minor of JOSEPH METHVIN on his giving bond of $1300 with BURRELL WHITTLE and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS as security. (NOTE: A subsequent annual return by this guardian listed the minor as THOMAS MELVIN).

SIMON WOOTEN appointed guardian for COUNSEL WOOTEN, orphan of COUNSEL WOOTEN, dec., on his giving bond with WILLIAM WOOTEN as his security in the sum of $1600.

Page 178 - 20 Jan.1834: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS guardian of HENRY and MARY SHEPARD, minors of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., have liberty to make his return to next term of court.

THOMAS GARDNER, executor of the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell a sufficiency of the perishavle property of said deceased to pay the residue of debts due against said deceased - provided the widow being in the use and possession of said property should not file an objection before next term of court.

WILLIAM S. COALSON, guardian for the minors of LUNSFORD PITTS, dec., also for one of the minors of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., granted leave to make his return at next term of court.

SIMON BATEMAN, executor on the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., granted leave to make his return at next term of court.

JOHN STAPLER applied for leave to sue on the administration bond of JOHN FLETCHER and his securities concerning the estate of JAMES G. PARKS and it appearing that fifas against the administrator as such have been returned "no property" and the said JOHN STAPLER alleging that hereby he is injured by said administration. Court ordered that said JOHN STAPLER is entitled to and shall have the use and name of this court and a copy of said bond, if not already certified, to sue on and he is being accountable for all costs.

DAVID ADAMS, administrator on the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec., granted leave to make his return at the next term of court.

JAMES HOLDERNESS, JAMES DEAN, EDWARD ENGRAM, THOMAS SMITH, and JOEL LOFTIN, appointed to appraise the estate of GEORGE TARVIN late of said county, dec.

JOSHUA PATTISHALL granted leave to make his return as executor on the estate of DANIEL CLARK Sr., dec., at the next term of court.

The last Will and Testament of GEORGE TARVIN, dec., having been proven and the executors therein named having qualified - - it is ordered that Letters of Testamentary be granted said executors.

JOHN L. TAYLOR, appointed administrator on the estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL late of said county, dec., on his giving bond of $2000 with WADE BALL and EDMUND K. HODGES as his security.

WILLIAM JONES, administrator on the estate of JAMES JONES, dec., granted leave to make his return at next term of court.

FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, guardian of the heirs and minors of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., granted until next term of court to make his annual return.

JOHN L. TAYLOR, administrator on the estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec., granted leave to sell sufficient personal property of said estate to pay the debts - keeping balance of said estate togeather for the present year for benefit and support of the widow and orphans of said deceased.

HUGH L. IRWIN granted leave to make his return on estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., and as administrator on the estate of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., until next term of court.

JOHN JONES, THOMAS DOLES, THOMAS BUSH, JOEL WALKER, and HAMPTON H. HOWARD appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec.

ALLEN WYNHAM, administrator on the estate of ORRIN STEPHENS, dec., granted leave to make his annual return for 1833 to March Term of this court.

JOHN W. TAFF appointed guardian of HARRIET TAFF, orphan of WILLIAM B. TAFF, dec., upon giving bond in the sum of $1500 with SETH DURHAM and MOSES COLLINS, his security.

ALLEN WINHAM appointed guardian for SHADRACK L. and JASPER B. STEPHENS, orphans of ORRIN STEPHENS, dec., on giving bond of $400 with LEWIS PEACOCK as his security.

LEWIS PEACOCK appointed guardian for PRYOR, HARDY, and ORRIN D. STEPHENS, orphans of ORRIN STEPHENS, dec., on giving bond of $600 with ALLEN WINHAM as security.

THOMAS L. SALTER, a minor and orphan over the age of 14 came into court and chose RICHARD L. SALTER as guardian for his person and property. Court approved upon said guardian giving bond of $2000 with JAMES SUGGS as security.

ALLEN WIGGINS, executor of estate of WILLIAM WIGGINS, dec., granted leave to make his annual return for 1833 to next term of court.

RICHARD L. SALTER, guardian of the person and property of THOMAS L. SALTER, granted leave to hire the negroes of said orphan for the present year by private contract.

Page 183 - 3 Mar.1834: BAPTIST SCOTT, JOHN WEST, D. B. LOWE, HENRY SUMMERFORD, and JAMES H. KILLEN appointed commissioners to divide the estate of RATLIFF ECHOLS, dec., between the heirs and make their return.

JOSHUA PATTISHALL, executor of the estate of DAVID CLARK Sr., dec., granted leave to make his returns for the year 1833 at May term 1834.

Ordered that the return of ALLEN WINHAM be received and recorded.

ANSEL WATKINS applied for Letter of Administration on the estate of WILLIAM NORRIS, dec., and no objections being filed from the public notice, court approved his appointment upon his giving bond for $500 with JOHNSON WELLBORN and FRANCIS W. JOBSON as his security.

THOMAS POLLOCK and SARAH BRUNSON appointed administrators on the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., upon their giving bond with FREDERICK WATSON and LEWIS POLLOCK as their security in the sum of $5000.

DAVID BRUNSON, FREDERICK WATSON, HENRY CUNYUS, WILLIAM SMITH Sr., and ANDREW JACKSON appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS appointed guardian of JANE and REBECCA, minor orphans of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., upon giving bond and HUGH L. IRWIN his security in the sum of $2000.

HUGH L. IRWIN appointed guardian of WILLIAM and JOEL, minor orphans of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., upon his giving bond with THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS his security in the sum of $2000.

SAMUEL WEBB appointed guardian of THOMAS WEBB, minor orphan of GILES WEBB. dec., upon his giving bond in the sum of $2000 with BENJAMIN WEBB his security.

THOMAS GARDNER, executive on the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec., ordered to sell so much of the perishable property of said estate as shall be sufficient to raise the sum of $100 in order to pay off the debts owed by the said estate.

IRWIN TALTON appointed guardian to IRWIN, ELI, and EAISHA AYCOCK, minors of EPHRAIM AYCOCK, dec., on his giving bond of $2500 with WILLIAM WOOTEN as his security.

Page 185 - 5 May 1834: HARDY HARGROVE and CAMILLA LIPTROT, administrators of the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., granted leave to sell land lot #172 in the 12th District, having advertised for leave to sell same agreeably to law.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS appointed administrator of the estate of WILLIAM D. PATTON, dec., upon his giving bond of $600 with HUGH L. IRWIN as security.

ALEXANDER SMITH appointed guardian for MARTHA ELIZABETH TISON, orphan of STERLING TISON, dec., upon giving bond of $5000 with WILLIAM SMITH his security.

E. A. ROBINSON, ROBERT SHEPARD, JOHN WEST, JAMES TAYLOR, and I. T. HOBBS appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM D. PATTON, dec.

NATHANIEL J. SCOTT petitioned the court that WILLIAM BRUNSON made delivery to him a bond to make title to land lot #55 in the 19th Distirct formerly Muscogee now Harris County and said BRUNSON having died without executing title. Court ordered THOMAS POLLOCK administrator and SARAH BRUNSON, administratrix to execute titles to said NATHANIEL J. SCOTT after advertising and no objections being filed according to law. A copy of the bond dated 12 Sep.1831 followed which contained the same information above and listed the amount of sale at $1000, with SIMON BATEMAN as witness to signature of WILLIAM BRUNSON. The court then ordered the administrator and the administratrix to execute title to said lot to said petitioner.

HENRY PITTS and THOMAS HOWELL, executors on the estate of JOHN HOWELL, dec., having fullfilled their assigned duties were granted Letters of Dismission.

Page 188 - 2 Jun.1834: JOSIAH FLOURNOY of Putnam County appointed administrator on the estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, dec., late of this county, upon his giving bond with IRBY HUDSON of Putnam County his security in the sum of $35,000.

HUMPERY DRURY, JOHN WATTS, and STEPHEN HUBBARD appointed to appraise the estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, dec., which is in the county of Telfair.

JAMES HOLDERNESS JP, PETER V. GUERRY, ARTHUR A. MORGAN, HORACE W. BRUNSON, and LITTLETON SPIVEY appointed to appraise the property belonging to the estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, dec., which is in this county.

Page 189 - 9 Jul.1834: WILLIAM C. TAYLOR appointed administrator on the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., upon his giving bond of $6000 with ISAAC TAYLOR, JAMES TAYLOR, and JOHN WEST as his securities.

SAMUEL GILMORE, WILLIAM W. WEST, THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, HUGH L. IRWIN, and DANIEL RHODES appointed to appraise the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, administrator on the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., ordered to keep to-geather the plantation of said deceased and cause the farm to be cultivated for use of the heirs and granted leave to sell such part of the perishable property not necessary to the cultivation of said farm.

JAMES E. DUNCAN, having regularly administered the estate of MAYBERRY WILKINSON, dec and a rule nisi having been regularly published with no objections filed, was dismissed from said administration.

HUGH L. IRWIN, administrator on the estate of RATLIFF ECKLES, dec., in his annual

return for 1833 charged himself with four notes on N. F. HOOKER for $92.10 principal - three notes on HENRY SUMMERFORD for $82 principal - one note on RUTH ECKLES for $25 principal - and four notes on SAMUEL GILMORE for $85 principal for all which he had fully accounted in his return for 1832. Court ordered that the return first aforesaid be amended by striking out the said citing.

Page 191 - 7 Aug.1834: THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator, and SARAH BRUNSON, administratrix ordered to execute titles to NATHANIEL J. SCOTT for land lot #55 in the 19th District of Harris County originally Muscogee County, after the publication of this order.

Page 191 - 1 Sep.1834: NATHANIEL GAMMAGE, administrator of WILLIAM GAMMAGE, dec., granted leave to sell the east half of land lot #51 in the 15th District.

JOSIAH FLOURNOY, administrator of the estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, having advertised through the medium of the Georgia Telegraph and no objections being filed, was granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased for the benefit of the heir and creditors.

ANSEL C. WATKINS, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM NORRIS, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, administrator of the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., granted leave to sell the present growing crop of cotton of said deceased as in his judgement shall most conduce to the interest of the heirs and creditors.

Georgia, Houston County: Know all men by those present that I WILLIAM F. O'NEAL for and in consideration of $200 due 25 Dec.1833, bind myself, my heirs, executor or administrator in the final sum of $400 to make good and valid titles to THOMAS BUSH his heirs and assignees to fifty acres of land lying in the southwest corner of lot #96 - now conditions of the above obligation are such that if the said THOMAS BUSH comply with the terms herein specified the above bond to remain in full force and otherwise null and void. Dated: 9 Aug.1833. Signed: WILLIAM F. (his X mark) O'NEAL. Witnesses: HENRY WIMBERLY and JAMES PERRY. I transfer the within bond to DRURY A. McCULLERS for value received without recourse on me - given under my hand and seal this January the 8th 1834. Signed: THOMAS BUSH.

Page 194 - 8 Sep.1834: ISAAC HOLMES, appointed guardian for PERRY JOINER a minor, on his giving bond of $600 with ROBERT W. BARKER his security.

Page 195 - 24 Nov.1834: REUBEN H. LUCKEY appointed administrator of the estate of JOHN QUIGLEY, dec., he having given bond in the sum of $6000 with MATTHEW DORSEY and ISHAM WRIGHT as his security.

HUGH ALLEN, JACOB HOLLAND, HARDY HUNTER, ELIJAH WATSON, and MICHAEL MADDEN appointed to appraise the estate of JOHN QUIGLEY, dec.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator on the estate of WILLIAM D. PATTON, dec., granted leave to sell part of land lot #235 in the 3d District of Dooly County, containing 70 acres as real estate of said deceased.

WILLIAM HOLLYMAN, guardian of THOMAS MELVIN, a minor, granted leave to sell part of land lot #303 in the 13th District containing 76 acres as property of said minor.

JOHN JONES, JOEL WALKER, HENRY WIMBERLY, WARREN SANDERS, and MATTHEW SIKES appointed commissioners to make division of the following negroes: Patience and her child Amelia, Gmaneed, and Robert between WILEY CLARK, SARAH CLARK, WILLIAM J. CLARK, and CAROLINE CLARK, former minors of DANIEL CLARK, dec., so that part belonging to WILEY CLARK may be set off to him he having arrived at full age and make return thereof to this court.

JAMES A. EVERETT, temporary administrator of the estate of JAMES JARRETT, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property, negroes excepted, of said estate that is otherwise liable to waste before final letter of administration can be granted in due course of law.

REUBEN H. LUCKEY, administrator on the estate of JOHN QUIGLEY, dec., ordered to show cause at May term of court why he should not execute title to land lot #62 in the 10th District of Murray County and four sections of originally Cherokee County in accordance with a bond the deceased made while in life to LARKIN HENDRICKS of Marion County of East Tennessee in consideration of $500 for said title. Court further ordered that a copy of this rule nisi and a copy of the bond be published for three months in one of the public gazettes of Macon. A copy of the bond date 28 Feb.1834 followed which was signed by JOHN QUIGLEY, and witnessed by JOHN CARTER and H. G. LAMAR.

Page 198 - 22 Dec.1834: JOSIAH FLOURNOY, administrator of the estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate, public notice having been given through the medium of the Georgia Telegraph since the 20th of August last.

JAMES A. EVERETT granted Letter of Administration on the estate of JAMES JARRETT,

dec., on his giving bond for $10,000 with JOHN BRYAN as security.

MICHAEL MADDEN, MATTHEW DORSEY, ENOS YOUNG, HARDY HUNTER, and ELIJAH WATSON appointed to appraise the estate of JAMES JARRETT, dec.

THOMAS GARDNER, executor of the estate of JOHN SMITH, dec., granted leave to keep the estate of the deceased togeather on the plantation for the maintenance and support of the children of said deceased and of the younger negroes. Also granted leave to hire a suitable person to superintend the estate and carry on the farm.

Page 201 - 8 Jan.1835: The court on motion ordered that an order passed at its last setting in relation to the estate of JOHN SMITH and the management of said estate be and the same is hereby rescinded.

ROBERT BASKIN, WILLIAM BRYAN, CLAYTON G. HARGROVE, SAMPSON CULPEPPER, and JOHN CULPEPPER appointed commissioners to divide the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, late of said county, dec., between the heirs of said deceased.

SIMON BATEMAN, temporary administrator of the estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec., granted leave to proceed forthwith to rent the land and hire out the negroes of said estate privately or otherwise - it appearing that before the same could be published in the time required by law the season for renting and hiring would elapse.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator, and SARAH BRUNSON, administratrix, on the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., ordered to execute titles to NATHANIEL J. SCOTT for land lot #55 in the 19th District of Muscogee County now Harris County, the same having been published in terms of the law.

Court ordered that the minutes show CHARLES H. RICE, Esqr., had been duly elected Clerk of the Court of Ordinary for the County of Houston for the ensuing two years.

Page 203 - 2 Mar.1835: JAMES H. KILLEN having been granted temporary Letters of Administration and the usual advertisement having been given, was granted final Letters of Administration on said estate (name omitted) on his giving bond in the sum of $3000 with SAMUEL WEBB as his security.

JOHN TAYLOR, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec., ordered to execute title for 50 acres lying in the southwest corner of lot #96 in the 5th District, pursuant to a bond made by said deceased to THOMAS BUCK which he later assigned to DRURY A. McCULLERS. This action was pursuant to a rule nisi granted at September term 1834 and no cause having been shown.

JOHN TAYLOR, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes and the real property of said estate, after having advertised accordint go law.

JOHN CHAIN, appointed administrator on the estate of FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, dec., he giving bond in the sum of $4000 with EPHRAM KENDRICK as security.

FREDERICK WATSON, ENOCH BLACKSHEAR, BENJAMIN BRYAN, THOMAS HARRIS, and BRYAN LANE appointed to appraise the estate of F. F. CHAIN, dec.

ELIJAH DEAN appointed administrator on the estate of STERLING CHAPMAN, dec., on his giving bond with IRA T. HOBBS as his security in the sum of $100.

BAPTIST SCOTT, IRA T. HOBBS, LEMUEL CHERRY, AARON LOWE, and JORDAN REESE appointed to appraise the estate of STERLING CHAPMAN, dec.

SILAS RAWLS, WILLIAM T. BRUNSON, ISAIAH LAWS, ROBERT LAWS, and HUGH HARDY appointed to appraise the estate of JOHN LUPO, dec.

SIMON BATEMAN appointed administrator on the estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec., on his giving bond and HENRY WIMBERLY his security in the sum of $5000.

SIMON BATEMAN, administrator on the estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec., granted leave to sell all the perishable property of said deceased for benefit of heirs and creditors, on giving the notice required by law.

DANIEL DUPREE, H. W. RALEY, SOLOMON SIMPSON, THOMAS GILBERT, and MEREDITH JOINER appointed to appraise the estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec.

ARTHUR A. MORGAN appointed administrator on the estate of THOMAS C. JORDAN, dec., he giving bond for $100 with good security.

SOLOMON FUDGE, administrator on the estate of JAMES S. WATSON, late of Muscogee County give bond with DAVID FUDGE as his security in the sum of $16,000 in order to remove the administration to this county.

JOHN JOINER, guardian for SIMON, MARY ANN, and ELIZABETH HADDOCK minor orphans of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell three-sevenths of land lot #114 in the 21st District of formerly Muscogee, now Harris County for the benefit of said minors.

ELIZABETH C. CHAIN appointed guardian of SUSAN and MARY McBRIDE minor orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., upon her giving bond for $3000 and that the clerk is hereby authorized to take bond in vacation.

JOSEPH CULPEPPER appointed administrator of the estate of ABRAHAM M. SCARBOROUGH, dec., upon his giving bond for $1600 with HARDY HARGROVE as security.

JOHN M. SMITH, HARDY HARGROVE, JAMES HOLMES, SAMPSON CULPEPPER and JAMES G. BASKIN appointed to appraise the estate of ABRAHAM M. SCARBOROUGH, dec.

ISAAC HOLMES, guardian of PERRY JOINER orphan and having given public notice in the Georgia Telegraph, granted leave to sell land lot #123 in the 4th District of Harris Co.

ARTHUR LIPSEY appointed guardian of the person and property of THOMAS L. SMITH, DANIEL W. SMITH, SARAH ANN EURIDICE SMITH, JOHN GARDNER SMITH, and JOSEPH ANDREW SMITH, upon his giving bond for $5000. (NOTE: See Will of JOHN SMITH)

Page 208 - 16 Mar.1835: Whereas information having reached us that ELISA PARRAMORE, widow of JAMES PARRAMORE late of this county deceased, has recently departed this life leaving five orphan children helpless and without any estate worth administration therefore it is ordered that the clerk of this court --- sell all the estate of the said ELISA PARRAMORE on a credit until 1 January next --- receive all demands -- for the last illiness and burial and taking care of the orphans until their letting out to the lowest bidder.

Page 209 - 24 Mar.1835: ARTHUR LIPSEY, guardian of the person and property of the minors of JOHN SMITH, dec., granted leave after advertisment to rent out the cleared land and hireout the negroes belonging to said minors.

Page 210 - 4 May 1835: JAMES W. CANNON, who intermarried with MARTHA SAUNDERS widow of WILLIAM SAUNDERS, dec., in right of his wife who gave written consent was granted Letters of Administration on said estate on his giving bond with CULLEN WEBB and others (not named) on his security in the sum of $10,000.

JANE OUTLAW appointed guardian of the persons and property of GWINNETT and SUSAN REYNDERS (REYNOLDS ?) on her giving bond for $200.

JAMES A. EVERITT, administrator on the estate of JAMES JARRETT, dec., granted leave to sell land lot #239 in the 9th District and negro slaves named Venus, Rose, Patsey, Isaac, and Emaline belonging to said estate after advertising said sale according to law.

LARKIN ARMSTRONG appointed administrator on the estate of MARTIN ARMSTRONG, dec., the application therefor having been published with no objections filed. Letters of Administration granted him on his giving bond with JAMES BROXON as security in the sum of $1000.

ABNER WIMBERLY petitioned the court to be dismissed as executor on the estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec. He having fullfilled his duties as said executor of said estate and a citation to this effect having been published in the Georgia Messenger for the space of six months and no objections being filed - Court ordered the clerk to issue said executor a Letter of Dismission.

Whereas WILLIAM HAMILTON of the county of Twiggs did on 25 Jan.1827 qualify as one of the executors named in the last Will and Testament of RICHARD SMITH, dec., and whereas said WILLIAM HAMILTON has never had any of the effects of said estate of said deceased in his possession nor has he ever made any returns to this court concerning said executorship, and it also appearing to this court - - that ABNER WIMBERLY who was also an executor on said estate has fully administered the said estate and has been dismissed and released from his liability as executor - - it is therefore ordered that the Letters of Testamentary granted to said WILLIAM HAMILTON executor aforesaid be and they are hereby henceforth revolked and set aside.

GEORGE M. DUNCAN, GEORGE PATTEN, LEWIS J. JORDAN, JOSHUA PATTISHALL, and RICHARD SMITH appointed to appraise the estate of MARTIN ARMSTRONG, dec.

No cause having been shown by JANE OUTLAW, administratrix on the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW, dec., why GEORGE PATTEN one of her securities should not be discharged from his securityship and it also appearing that said JANE OUTLAW - - has not complied with the provisions of the law in relation to the duties of administration, it is ordered that GEORGE PATTEN be hence discharged from his liability upon said administration bond and that upon her failure to give other and further sufficient security in ten days - - that her said administration be revolked.

BENJAMIN WEBB, REUBIN RAWLS, JESSE WATERS, WILLIAM McKENZIE, and JOHN McKENZIE appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM SANDERS, dec.

ENOCH BLACKSHEAR, guardian of MARTHA J. DAVIS, having made and published application for leave to sell the west half of land lot #168 in the 12th District of Houston County, was granted authority to do so.

JOHN A. ALMAN, having intermarried with MITILDA O'NEAL widow of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec., and having applied for the guardianship of the persons and property of MARY ANN and MARTHA J. O'NEAL the two orphans of said deceased under the age of 14 and having no guardian, was granted Letter of Guardianship with BENNETT ALMAN and JOHNSON WELLBORN as his security in the sum of $1000.

THOMAS J. JOHNSTON (JOHNSON), a minor of JAMES JOHNSTON (JOHNSON) dec., came into court and chose JAMES M. KELLY as his guardian of his person and property. Court approved and ordered that Letter of Guardianship be granted on his giving bond and good security at the next meeting of this court in the sum of $10,000.

Page 215 - 20 Jul.1835: JANE OUTLAW, administratrix of the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW, dec. granted leave to sell that part of land lot #232 in the 13th District that belongs to said estate.

RALEIGH HIGHTOWER appointed guardian for MARIA UNDERWOOD on giving bond in the sum of $1000 with JOHN McKENZIE and ELIJAH DEAN as securities.

THOMAS D. WALKER appointed guardian of the persons and property of CHARLES and MARTHA WOODS, minors, with bond set at $1600. Letters of Guardianship to be issued after he has appeared in court to take the oath.

THOMAS POLLOCK, one of the administrators of the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased lying in the county of Irwin on his advertising the sale of same.

DAVID ADAMS, administrator on the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec., granted leave to sell 150 acres of land lot #55 in the 11th District, of said deceased after advertising said sale.

ARTHUR A. MORGAN, administrator of the estate of THOMAS J. JORDAN, dec., granted leave to sell the land belonging to said estate.

Page 217 - 29 Jul.1835: JAMES M. KELLY, guardian for THOMAS J. JOHNSTON orphan of JAMES JOHNSTON, dec., on giving bond and security in the sum of $10,000 came foreward and took the oath of guardianship.

Page 217 - 7 Sep.1835: HUGH L. DENNARD appointed administrator of the estate of JOHN DENNARD, dec., on his giving bond with GEORGE M. DUNCAN as his security in the sum of $600.

I, REUBEN H. LUCKEY administrator of the estate of JOHN QUIGLEY, dec., acknowledge service of a rule nisi passed at the 24th of November term of court why I should not execute titles in conformity to a bond made by said deceased to LARKIN HENDRICKS for land lot #62 in the 10th District, 4th Section originally Cherokee County and I hereby waive the necessity of publication of said rule in a public gazette. Dated: 25 Sep.1835. Signed: R. H. LUCKEY.

It appearing to the court that JOHN QUIGLEY, dec., did in his life time make a bond for titles to LARKIN HENDRICKS for land lot #62 in the 10th District, 4th Section orginally Cherokee County now Walker County and REUBEN H. LUCKEY the administrator of said deceased having given written consent to waive the necessity of publishing a rule nisi to perfect service as required by law and said administrator agreeing to make titles in conformity to said bond - - it is ordered that he do so.

On application of SARAH CLARK, executrix of the last Will and Testament of DANIEL CLARK late of this county, deceased, ordered that MATTHEW SIKES, JOEL WALKER, WARREN E. SANDERS, and HENRY WIMBERLY be and they are hereby appointed to divide the negroes among the distributees belonging to said estate so far as to set apart SARAH HAM's part, one of the legatees of said estate.

THOMAS POLLOCK and JANE WILEY appointed administrator and administratrix on the estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., on their giving bond with MORRIS POLLOCK and FREDERICK BROWN as their security in the sum of $3000.

FREDERICK WATSON, LEWIS POLLOCK, HENRY CUNYUS, HUGH L. DENNARD, and ALLEN WILLIAMS appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec.

JAMES H. KILLEN and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrators of the estate of HENRY SHEPARD, dec., having fully administered the estate of said deceased and legally advertised their intention to apply for dismission and no objections having been filed - - it is ordered that said letters be issued.

Page 220 - 19 Oct.1835: GEORGE FRANKLIN TARVIN, a minor over the age of 14 years and

orphan of GEORGE TARVIN, dec., having appeared in open court - - and voluntarily chose WILLIAM M. TARVIN as his guardian - - court ordered that WILLIAM M. TARVIN be granted Letter of Guardianship on his giving bond with DAVID D. TARVIN and ERASKUS P. STUCKEY as his security in the sum of $6000.

SIMON BATEMAN and WILLIAM M. TARVIN, executors of the estate of GEORGE TARVIN, dec., granted leave after giving public notice required by law to sell all the negroes and other personal property belonging to the estate of said deceased - - all concerned having consented to the same.

THOMAS POLLOCK appointed guardian of the property of WILLIAM an infant and orphan of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., and that Letters of Guardianship be issued him on his giving bond with JOHN A. DUPREE as his security in the sum of $3000.

THOMAS POLLOCK administrator and SARAH BRUNSON administratrix on the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., granted leave to sell the land of said deceased lying in the county of BURKE - - the same having been published in terms of the law.

WILLIAM LUPO appointed guardian for GILES and JULIA ANN LUPO minors of JOHN LUPO, dec., upon his giving bond and security in the sum of $600 with JOHN KILLEN and SEABORN BRYAN securities.

SIMON BATEMAN, administrator on the estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes belonging to said estate - - having published the same as required by law.

ALEXANDER SMITH, JOHN M. FULLER, JAMES WIMBERLY, PORTLOCK THOMPSON and NEEDHAM SMITH Esq., appointed commissioners for the purpose of dividing the slave property with the exception of a negro Prince belonging to the estate of DANIEL BRUNSON, dec., between the respective heirs and legatees of said estate and that they make return to this court according to law.

JANE OUTLAW, administratrix of the estate of BENTLEY OUTLAW dec., having published notice for application to sell the negroes belonging to said estate and no objections being filed - - ordered that said administratrix have leave to sell said negroes.

The Will of WILLIAM GRACE late of this county, deceased, was ordered to be recorded and a caveat having been entered was ordered overruled having failed to support the evidence submitted. (NOTE: The Will of WILLIAM GRACE was not found in the Will Book "A".)

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, JAMES CLARK, BENJAMIN STEAGAL, MITCHELL THOMLEY, and SIMEON TAYLOR appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM GRACE, late of this county, deceased.

In the matter of the Will of WILLIAM GRACE, dec., and caveat thereto on the part of SAMUEL GRACE and THOMAS GRACE the children and lawful heirs of said WILLIAM GRACE - - The Caveators being dissatisfied with the decision of the court in admitting the said will to record and having appeared by their attorneys JAMES M. KELLY and ARTHUR A. MORGAN and having paid all costs and having brought GREEN WALDEN who togeather with said SAMUEL and THOMAS by the attorneys aforesaid acknowledge themselves bound for the eventual costs and condemnation necessary and having prayed and appealed in terms of the law as such it is granted. Dated: 19 Oct.1835. Signed: ARTHUR A. MORGAN and JAMES M. KELLY, attorneys for Caveators. GREEN WALDEN.

GEORGE WILLIAMS, WILLIAM WOOTEN, SIMON WOOTEN, NEIL ARD, and SIMON BARDEN appointed to appraise the estate of CARROLL JOHNSON, dec.

Page 223 - 2 Nov.1835: MILES HARRELL, temporary administrator of the estate of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate, upon giving 10 days notice of the time and place of sale.

Ordered that the Clerk pay over to WILLIAM BIRD and RICHARD JOHNSON the following sums to wit: Winding Sheet $3.50. Making Coffin and finding materials $4.00. Attention to his last illness $2.50, in all $10 to be paid out of the money arising from the notes taken by order of this court for the sale of the property belonging to the estate of JAMES PARRAMORE late of this county, deceased.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to LARKIN FELLINGAME $10 for the keeping of two of the orphans of JAMES PARRAMORE late of said county, deceased, upon the death of their mother to the time of letting them out, of any monies arising from the notes taken by order of this court for the sale of the property belonging to the said JAMES PARRAMORE, deceased.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to RICHARD JOHNSON $15 for the keeping of the orphans of JAMES PARRAMORE late of said county deceased, from the death of their mother to the time of binding or letting them out, from the money arriving from the notes taken by order of this court for the sale of the property belonging to the estate of said JAMES PARRAMORE, deceased.

Page 225 - 4 Jan.1836: JOSEPH EDWARDS appointed guardian of JAMES F. EDWARDS, JOHN W.

EDWARDS, CAROLINE EDWARDS, ELIZABETH EDWARDS, and WILLIAM B. EDWARDS orphans of WILLIAM B. EDWARDS late of Washington County deceased, on his giving bond to the clerk in the sum of $1300 with ELIAS JORDAN as his security.

Page 226 - 18 Jan.1836: ALEXANDER SMITH guardian of MARTHA E. TISON granted leave to sell the negroes of said minor.

The situtation of the estate of ELIAS BROWN, dec., absolutely demanding an appraisement and sale under temporary letters of administration - - ordered therefore that JAMES H. KILLEN, HEZEKIAH BROWN, JOHN LAIDLER, IRA T. HOBBS, and HAMILTON E. LAIDLER be appointed to appraise said estate.

CULLEN WEBB appointed guardian of the person and property of WILLLIAM WEBB upon his giving bond and security in the sum of $2000 with SEABORN C. BRYAN and SAMUEL WEBB as his securities.

HUBBARD WHITFIELD PARAMOUR was ordered bound to WILLOUGHBY JORDAN Sr., until he arrives at the age of 21 years - - said JORDAN to give bond and security in sum of $200.

Ordered that the bond of JOHN A. ALMAN for guardianship of the orphans of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL be increased by substituting another bond in the sum of $3200 with BURWELL ALMAN, JOHNSON WELLBORN, JOHN C. MOUNGER, and ALLEN BUSBY as his securities.

CARLTON WELLBORN, FREDERICK WATSON, WILLIAM SMITH, DAVID BRUNSON, and DANIEL BRUNSON appointed and authorized to divide the estate of HENRY ROGERS, deceased between the heirs of said estate.

The Will of BETSY WALKER was ordered to be recorded - also a division of the negroes of her estate and a deed of gift from MARGARET HANCOCK to GEORGE WALKER.

The Clerk was ordered to pay over to SIMON BARDEN the balance in his hands arising from the sale of the estate of JAMES PARRAMOUR late of this county, deceased, for his trouble in taking care of CELIA minor orphan of said deceased.

Page 227 - 7 Mar.1836: It appearing to the court from Letters of Guardianship issued from the Court of Ordinary of Lowndes County that JOB E. W. SMITH has given bond for the guardianship of AJAMIAH, NATHANIEL, and MILLBERRY SMITH, heirs at law of JOSEPH CUTTS, late of the county of Houston, deceased - - ordered that JAMES H. KILLEN executor of said estate pay over to the said JOB E. W. SMITH guardian as aforesaid the distribution share of said minor children coming to them from the estate of said JOSEPH CUTTS, dec.

ISAAC TAYLOR, JOHN WEST, ROBERT SHEPHERD, E. A. ROBINSON, and EDWARD HODGES appointed commissioners to divide and layout in as equal shares as possible the property or money belonging to the estate of RICHARD ECKOLS, dec.

CHARLES F. PATTILLO appointed administrator of the estate of CARRELL JOHNSON, dec., he giving bond with SIMON BARDIN as his security in the sum of $500.

D. B. LOWE appointed administrator of the estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec., by his giving bond with JORDAN REESE his security in the sum of $4000.

AARON LOWE, ELIJAH DEAN, JOHN HENDERSON, DAVID PATTEN, and I. T. HOBBS appointed to appraise the estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS appointed administrator of the estate of REBECCA ECKOLS, late of said county, dec., on his giving bond with WILLIAM HOLLEMAN, security.

MILES HARREL appointed administrator on the estate of WILLIAM HARREL, dec., on his giving bond with JOSEPH CULPEPPER and SIMON BARDEN as security in the sum of $3000.

DAVID M. BROWN and REBECCA BROWN appointed administrator and administratrix on the estate of ELIAS BROWN, dec., on their giving bond with JAMES H. KILLEN and THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS as security in the sum of $4000.

The petition of D. B. LOWE showed that JOHN QUIGLEY late of said county, dec., did in his life time enter into a bond - - to make titles to a certain lot or fraction of land describe in said bond unto your petitioner and died without performing the same or making a provision by will for it being done. The bond dated 21 Jul.1832, signed by JOHN QUIGLEY and witnessed by DAVID PATTON - bound unto D. B. LOWE for $2000 on faithful payment of $520 one half Jan.1834 and the other half Jan.1835 for which he (JOHN QUIGLEY) would make titles to fraction #31 and #26 in the 28th District of Lee now Sumpter County.

Page 1 - 2 May 1836: The Will of JAMES H. KILLEN having been proven was ordered to be recorded. JOHN KILLEN, the executor therein, was ordered to be issued letters of testamentry on his taking the oath prescribed by law.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, SILAS RAWLS, ISAIAH LAWS, HENRY SCARBOROUGH, and SAMUEL FELDER were appointed to appraise the estate of JAMES H. KILLEN, dec.

HUGH ALLEN appointed guardian of HENRY, WILLIAM, CAROLINE, and WESLEY BELL, orphans of THOMAS BELL, dec. Bond was set at $3000 with JAMES P. ALLEN and WILLIAM BRANTLEY as his security.

The division of the estate of REBECCA ECKELS, dec., was ordered to be recorded.

CHRISTOPHER R. SPEIGHT appointed guardian of the person and property of WILLIAM and JAMES J. RODGERS, minor orphans of HENRY RODGERS, dec. Bond was set at $1200 on his giving good security.

Page 2 - 5 Jul.1836: Hayneville. February 6th 1836. Dear Sisters, Wednesday I leave ---(letter written by ALONZO C. McBRIDE, see page 12 of this publication) was proven as a Will and ordered recorded with FREDRICK D. WIMBERLY, ISAAC H. SMITH, and JOHN S. HOWELL having provided evidence to the handwriting. JOHN J. HOWELL further testified as to the person of JOHN M. KINNEY who is his son.

The legal representatives of the heirs of JOHN McBRIDE were granted leave to sell in terms of law the fraction, togeather with improvements thereto, known as Veges Bluff fraction on the Ocmulgee River.

Page 2 - 5 Sep.1836: LARY STANLEY, administrator of the estate of EDWARD JONES, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and a negro of said deceased. Public notice having been given with no objections filed.

MOSES COLLINS appointed administrator of the estate of ELIJAH LAW, dec. Bond set at $300 with ROBERT P. LAW as security.

NATHAN G. LEWIS granted letters of administration on estate of BENJAMIN LEWIS, dec. Bond set at $8000 with DANIEL BRADWELL and ELIJAH JORDAN as security. The court further appointed VINCENT CALHOUN, EZEKIEL ADAMS, LEMUEL CHERRY, HAMILTON HERVEY, and HENRY N. SCARBOROUGH to appraise said estate.

Letters of administration on the estate of ALONZO C. McBRIDE, dec., were granted to JOHN J. HOWELL and ELIZABETH C. CHAIN on their giving bond and security for $2400.

SIMON BATEMAN, Esq., SAMUEL FELDER, and THEODORE GUERRY were appointed commissioners to divide the negro property belonging to MARY, SUSAN, and JULIA McBRIDE, minor orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., so as to set apart MARY and SUSAN's shares, as JULIA having departed this life.

Letters of administration issued to ELIZABETH C. CHAIN and John J. HOWELL on the estate of JULIA McBRIDE, dec. Bond set at $1200.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., given leave to sell all the shares and real estate of said estate.

VINCENT CALHOUN, WILLIAM BURNAM, ELIJAH BURNAM, JEFFERSON WESTBURY, and JAMES W. CANNON were appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec.

SAMUEL FELDER appointed administrator of the estate of HENRY FELKIL, dec. Bond set at $1600.

JOAB W. C. HORN appointed administrator de bonis non on estate of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS dec. Bond set at $5000 with WILLIAM McKENZIE as security.

JAMES H. SMITH appointed guardian of person and property of HORACE A. SMITH upon giving bond of $1600.

GEORGE PATTON, THEODORE GUERRY, SIMON BATEMAN, JAMES CRAWFORD, and SAMUEL FELDER appointed appraisers of the estates of ALONZO C. and JULIA McBRIDE, dec.

JAMES A. BRYAN approved as security on the administration bond of LARY STANLEY upon estate of EDWARD JONES, dec. The estate of JAMES H. KILLEN was relieved from its liabilty on said administration bond.

RICHARD WATSON natural guardian of ROBERT, POLLY, JAMES, and ALLEN WATSON appointed guardian of their property. Bond set at $800 with MOSES COLLINS as security.

GILES JENNINGS appointed guardian of person and property of SARAH ANN TAYLOR, orphan of JOSEPH TAYLOR, dec. Bond set at $5000 with ROBERT JENNINGS, CALEB JENNINGS, and LEWIS EIDSON as security.

Page 5 - 21 Nov. 1836: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS appointed administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec. Bond set at $24000 with JOHN WEST and ROBERT SHEPPARD as security.

JAMES TAYLOR, ALLEN BRIDGES, DANIEL LAWHON, E. W. HODGES, and AUGUSTUS LAIDLER were appointed appraisers of the property of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec.

A. S. EDGEWORTH, JACOB LOWMAN, and DANIEL FREDERICK appointed commissioners to divide the estate of the orphans of HARDY B. PRICE, dec., into two equal shares within next two months.

JOHN BRYAN and ACHILLES S. EDGEWORTH appointed administrators on estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec. Bond set at $75000 with JACOB LOWMAN and JOHN McCHASTAIN as security.

JACOB LOWMAN, DANIEL WADE, JAMES N. TAYLOR, JAMES HOLLINSHEAD, and SEABORN C. BRYAN appointed to appraise estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec.

MILES HARRELL administrator of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec., granted leave to sell all real estate, notice having been published according to law.

MOSES COLLINS, security for RICHARD WATSON as guardian of ROBERT, POLLY, JAMES and ALLEN WATSON, was relieved from his security on RICHARD WATSON giving a new bond with FREDERICK WATSON as security.

DAVID M. BROWN, administrator of ELIAS BROWN, dec., granted leave to sell all real estate of the deceased. Legal notice having been given.

JOAB W. C. HORN, administrator de bonis non of the estate of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec, granted leave to sell all real estate and one negro girl upon giving the notice required by law.

WILLIAM M. TARVIN, guardian of GEORGE F. TARVIN minor of GEORGE TARVIN, dec., granted leave to sell four negroes and lot of land #54, 10th Dist., belonging to said minor.

JOAB W. C. HORN appointed guardian of the orphans of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec. Bond set at $2100 on his giving sufficient security.

GRISHAM BRYAN appointed guardian of ALLEN BRYAN an orphan of LITTLE BRYAN, dec. Bond set at $4000 with DANIEL FREDERICK as security.

NATHAN BRYAN appointed guardian of MARY, WINNA, AMELIA H. and ERASTUS J. BRYAN, orphans of LITTLE BRYAN, dec. Bond set at $24000 with JACOB LOWMAN and A. S. EDGEWORTH as security.

JOHN KILLEN appointed administrator de bonis non on estate of JOHN LUPO, dec. Bond set at $5000 with SIMON BATEMAN as security.

JOHN KILLEN administrator de bonis non of JOHN LUPO, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased on his complying with the law.

Page 6 - 2 Jan. 1837: CHARLES H. RICE received the three votes of the three Justices present and was duly and legally elected as Clerk of the Court.

MARTHA McNAIR, widow of JAMES S. McNAIR, dec., applied for an order of the court to appoint commissioners to divide the personal estate among heirs. Appropriate legal notice having been given. A. S. EDGEWORTH, DANIEL FREDERICK, JAMES MALLARD, JACOB FUDGE, and MOSES COLLINS were appointed to do so and make their report to next term of court.

JACOB McNAIR, FELIX McNAIR, and FRANCIS McNAIR, orphans of JAMES S. McNAIR, dec., being without guardian and under age of 14 years and their mother MARTHA McNAIR being desirous that SOLOMON FUDGE should become their guardian - it was so ordered. Bond set at $12000 with DAVID FUDGE as security.

DANIEL McNAIR, one of the orphans of JAMES McNAIR, dec., being over 14 years of age, voluntarily chose DAVID FUDGE as guardian of his person and property. Court granted the request. Bond was set at $4000 with SOLOMON FUDGE as security.

R. H. LUCKEY, administrator of the estate of JOHN QUIGLEY, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate. Proper legal notice having been given.

JAMES BROXSON, having received temporary letters of administration on estate of ALEXANDER BROXSON, dec., and their being unprecidented circumstances was appointed administrator of said estate. Bond set at $150 with WILSON McLIMORE as security.

JAMES ALLMAN appointed administrator of estate of BURWELL ALLMAN, dec. Bond set at $2000 with THOMAS GILBERT and JOHN ATKINS as security.

JOEL LOFTON, JAMES LEWIS, THOMAS GILBERT Jr., WILLIAM SMITH, and HENRY BARROW appointed to appraise the estate of BURWELL ALLMAN, dec.

DANIEL FREDERICK appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM C. WANNAMAKER, dec. Bond set at $40000 with WILLIAM HASLAM as security.

JAMES BROXSON sworn before the court to administer estate of ALEXANDER BROXSON, dec.

DANIEL FREDERICK sworn before the court to administer estate of WILLIAM WANNAMAKER, dec.

JAMES ALLMAN sworn before the court to administer estate of BURWELL ALLMAN, dec.

SOLOMON FUDGE sworn in open court to guardianship of JACOB McNAIR, FELIX McNAIR, and FRANCES McNAIR, orphans of JAMES S. McNAIR, dec.

DAVID FUDGE sworn in open court to guardianship of DANIEL McNAIR orphan of JAMES S. McNAIR, dec.

All executors, administrators, and guardians granted leave to make their annual return to next term of court.

Page 9 - 6 Mar.1837: MARY JONES appointed guardian of HARRELL B., BARBARA ANN, and REBECCA JONES, orphans of EDWARD JONES, dec. Bond set at $2500 with JAMES A. BRYAN as security.

MARY JONES, widow of EDWARD JONES, dec., was allowed $300 for the 1836 support of herself, SUSAN, JOHN W., HARRELL B., BARBARA ANN, and REBECCA JONES, orphans of said deceased. (NOTE: EDWARD & MARY JONES were the GGG-Grand Parents of the wife of this compiler. JOHN W. JONES was her GG-GF. See Will of ARTHUR TULL on page 18 of this publication for further information.)

SAMUEL FELDER, administrator of HENRY FELKIL, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

CHARLES F. PATTILLO, administrator of the estate of CARROL JOHNSON, dec., having a balance of $85.12½ after meeting all demands upon the estate was ordered to pay over same to the widow.

MASSIS COLLINS granted leave to sell all the real estate of ELIJAH LAW, late of Morgan County, dec.

JOHN S. TAYLOR, administrator of estate of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec., granted letters of dismission.

A. S. EDGEWORTH, JOHN E. DENNARD, SILAS RAWLS, WILLIAM HASLEM, and JOHN ROAN were appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM BALL, dec.

D. B. LOWE, administrator on the estate of JOHN CHAMBERS, dec., having fully completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

SAMUEL FELDER, ELIJAH BURNAM, ISAAC TAYLOR, DANIEL RHODES, and WILLIAM HORN were appointed to appraise the estate of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec.

JOHN CHAIN, administrator of estate of F. F. CHAIN, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

The Will of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., having been proven was admitted to record and the executor qualified.

JOHN N. DUPREE, JOHN TOMLINSON, JOSEPH HANCOCK, JACOB A. PEARCE, and DANIEL DUPREE appointed to appraise the estate of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec.

DAVID M. BROWN granted letters of guardianship for SENTHA BROWN, ELAFAIN BROWN, DORKAS BROWN, NANCY BROWN, and DELILA BROWN, upon giving bond and security for $3000.

D. B. LOWE, administrator on the estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

THOMAS POLLOCK, guardian for WILLIAM S. D. P. BRUNSON a minor, was relieved and GREEN W. BATEMAN appointed guardian of said minor. Bond was set at $2500.

JOHN KILLEN, JOHN LAIDLER, WILLIAM HOLLOMAN, PATRICK SMITH, and AUGUSTUS LAIDLER were appointed to divide the estate of ELIAS BROWN, dec., between heirs.

It appearing to the court that JOHN QUIGLEY in his lifetime did execute a bond to make title to DANIEL B. LOWE conveying fraction No 26 and 31 in the 28th Dist. of originally Lee County now Sumter County, and it appearing said JOHN QUIGLEY departed this life without having executed titles in conformity to bond. A rule nisi having been published and no objections filed. RUBIN H. LUCKEY, administrator of said estate was ordered to make titles to DANIEL B. LOWE.

FRANCIS L. BROWN petitioned the court that HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., in his life made a bond to execute title to him for lot of land #795 in the 4th Dist. of the 3rd Section of originally Cherokee now Cass County and said deceased departed this life without executing titles to him. The petition asked that THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, the administrator of this estate make titles to him and was signed by JAMES M. KELLY, attorney. The court ordered that the petition and bond be published.

EDWARD K. HODGES, ELIJAH WILLIAMS, and SIMON WOOTON appointed commissioners of the public roads, highways, and bridges running in and through the 12th District.

MALLARD D. JENKINS appointed guardian of MASELL LAWS per her petition. Bond was set at $1000 with ISAIAH and GEORGE LAWS as security.

HANNAH LAWS appointed guardian of LORENZO, DOW, REBECCA JANE, ABAGAIL, GAVIAN, MARY ANN, ZACHARIAH JAMES, ARGUIS ELIZABETH, SARAH McBRIDE, and AMANDA MELVINA LAWS. Bond set at $8000 with ISAIAH LAWS and GEORGE LAWS as security. (NOTE: Punctuation was not used between children names and may vary from above.)

MENASAH NORWOOD appointed guardian of LOUISA LAWS per her petition. Bond set at $1000 with JGDALIAH WOOD as security.

SAMUEL WEBB appointed guardian for JOHN WEBB orphan of GILES WEBB, dec. Bond set at $2000 with CULLEN WEBB and JAMES G. M. BALL as security.

JGDALIAH WOOD appointed executor of the last Will and testament of IRA H. FLINT, dec.

JAMES E. DUNCAN, JAMES B. McMURRAY, HENRY W. RALEY, ROBERT L. DUNCAN, and SIMON BATEMAN appointed to appraise the estate of IRA H. FLINT, dec.

LEWIS PEACOCK appointed administrator of the goods and chattle rights and credits of ROBERT KIG, late of Chatham County, dec. Bond set at $1000 with JOHN PEACOCK as security.

A bond dated 25 Jan.1836 and signed by HUGH L. IRWIN and witnessed by WILLIAM J. ORR and D. B. CHAMBERS was recorded in which HUGH L. IRWIN gave bond for $600 unto FRANCIS L. BRANDON to sell lot of land No 795 in the 4th Dist of 3rd Sec of originally Cherokee County now Cass County. FRANCIS L. BRANDON was to further pay a $300 promisary note for said land payable 25 December next.

The last Will and testament of LITTLETON SPIVEY having been proven was ordered to be recorded.

LEARY STANLEY, administrator of EDWARD JONES, dec., requested the court to include in his annual return for 1836 his business for the present year in order to apply for letters of dismission. Court approved and granted leave for this purpose.

LEARY STANLEY represented to the court that he had fully discharged his duties as administrator of the estate of EDWARD JONES, dec. Court approved.

THOMAS McWILLIAMS, administrator on estate of REBECCA ECKLES, dec., having fullfilled his duties was granted letters of dismission.

JOHN KILLEN appointed administrator with the Will annexed on the estate of JOSEPH CUTTS. Bond set at $1000 with THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS as security.

The Will of WILLIAM BELL was proven in open court and admitted to record.

The petition of ANDREW H. TARVER showed that on 3 Mar.1827, THOMAS A. IRWIN, late of Washington County and HUGH L. IRWIN, late of Houston County, made and delivered to MORGAN BROWN, their certain joint and survival bond for titles to lot of land #161, 9th Dist of originally Henry now Newton County. That the said MORGAN BROWN has paid the full and entire consideration therefor that the said MORGAN BROWN on 2 Sep.1836 for a good and valuable consideration transferred, assigned, and sold over to your petitioner a bond which was attached. The said THOMAS A. IRWIN and HUGH L. IRWIN having departed this life without either or both executing titles in terms of said bond. The petition further requested the court to have THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN to execute titles for the described property. Signed: JAMES J. SCARBOROUGH, Petitioners Attorney. The copy of the bond attached to this petition gave details of the above and was filed in Washington County. The lot of land in question was originally drawn by WILLIAM IRWIN, late of Washington County, before passing into

the hands of THOMAS A. IRWIN and HUGH L. IRWIN. Witnesses to the signature of THOMAS A. and HUGH L. IRWIN were ARTHUR BRAZWELL and THOMAS BRANTLY.

Page 15 - 10 May 1837: ELIJAH BURNAM appointed administrator to estate of HENRY ROUSE, dec. Bond set at $3500 with WILLIAM HADDOCK as security.

VINCENT CALHOUN, JAMES W. CANNON, WILLIAM HORN, WILLIAM McKENZIE, and CULLEN HORN appointed to appraise the estate of HENRY ROUSE, dec.

DAVID M. BROWN was ordered to pay the account charged for boarding the minors of ELIS BROWN, dec., for the year 1836, to wit $155.00.

Page 15 - 3 Jul.1837: SARAH ANN BALL, minor, petitioned the court to appoint THOMAS D. WALKER of Pulaski County as her guardian. She supposes the amount of her property both real and personal to be worth $2500. Court approved and set bond at $5000.

FREDERICK WATSON was ordered to appropriate $50 to the benefit of RICHARD WATSON. Children out of money in the hands of said FREDERICK WATSON left to them by JOSEPH CUTTS, dec.

WILSON CURL, the natural guardian of ELIJAH, WILLIAM, ELIZABETH, MARY, JOHN, and MATTHEW CURL, minors, was appointed their guardian. Bond set at $1000 with DARLING JOHNSON as security.

JAMES CHANCE appointed administrator of the estate of MASON CHANCE, dec. Bond set at $1000 with HENRY B. HATHAWAY as security.

HUGH ALLEN, guardian for orphans of THOMAS BELL, dec., granted leave to sell the lands belonging to said orphans in Burke County. Proper legal notices having been given.

ISAAC CHANCE in petition presented to the court showed that LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., did on 1 Mar.1836 make bond to HIRAM T. MANN for title to lot of land #206, 14th and said LITTLETON SPIVEY departed this life without making said title. On 1 May 1837 the said HIRAM T. MANN assigned to the petitioner said bond. The petitioner further prays that the court will order JOHN W. COWART the executor of said LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., to make and execute titles to him. Signed by L. KING, attorney for petitioner. The attached bond showed LITTLETON SPIVEY for the sum of $600 made bond unto HIRAM T. MANN on 1 Mar.1836, conditioned that said MANN pay $250 on note payable 1 Jan. next, then said SPIVEY to make title. Witnesses to the signature of LITTLETON SPIVEY were WILLIAM LACKEY and JOEL W. MANN. The transfer of assignment by HIRAM T. MANN to ISAAC CHANCE was dated 5 May 1837 in presence of H. B. HATHAWAY. The court ordered JOHN W. COWART, executor of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., to show cause why titles should not be executed by publication in one of the Gazettes of this state for 3 months.

It appearing to the court that JAMES H. KILLEN, dec., gave to his wife REBECCA M., lot of land #49 in 14th Dist., the court instructed JOHN KILLEN his executor to build a dwelling house similiar to the one in which deceased resided and to clear 60 acres of land thereon which was to have been done as soon as last year's crops were gathered. CHRISTIAN J. STAILEY who has since intermarried with said REBECCA M. and said executor agreeded to settle the matter by said executor paying the value of improvements in lieu of having them done. The court appointed JOHN E. DENNARD, SHADRACK DENNARD, JAMES DEAN, SAMUEL WEBB, and SILAS RAWLS as appraisers to ascertain the value of improvements and ordered the executor to pay the value so established.

Page 18 - 4 Jul.1837: DAVID B. CHAMBERS appeared and sworn he was present on 7 Feb.1836 when HUGH L. IRWIN, then in life but since deceased, and his the said IRWIN's negro man Milas had a settlement of account between them and that said HUGH L. IRWIN is in arrears to his said negro Milas the sum of $51 and promised to pay the same to said Milas. The court reviewed the original Daybook kept by said HUGH L. IRWIN and noted that the $51 had been reduced by sundry payments to extent that a balance of $25.45 remained due to said Milas. The court then instructed THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator on the estate of HUGH L. IRWIN to pay the balance due.

It appearing to the court that HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., while in life on 25 Jan.1836 made bond to FRANCIS L. BRANDON whereby for $600 he promised to make title to land lot #795 in 4th Dist. in 3rd Sec. of originally Cherokee County, now Cass County. The completion of titles was conditioned on payment of a promisary note for $300 payable 25 Dec. next. The court noting that the publication of this matter had been complied with as instructed at the March term, ordered the administrator THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS to execute titles to FRANCIS L. BRANDON.

Page 20 - 4 Sep.1837: DAVID ADAMS, administrator of the estate of HENRY ROGERS, dec., having fully administered said estate was discharged and released from further liability.

WILLIAM B. BALL, JAMES G. M. BALL, WILLIAM LACKEY, ELIZABETH BALL, ELIZABETH J. ALLEN and THOMAS WALKER, guardian for SARAH ANN BALL, as legatees of WILLIAM BALL, dec., petitioned the court to divide the ten negroes left after ELIZABETH BALL and THOMAS WALKER as guardian received their portions under the Will undisposed of. The court appointed SILAS RAWLS, SEABORN C. BRYAN, DANIEL JONES, A. S. EDGEWORTH, and JOHN ROAN

to authorize the value and distribute in equal portions the ten negroes.

JAMES G. M. BALL, executor of estate of WILLIAM BALL, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

DANIEL DUPREE, WILLIAM HADDOCK, ALEXANDER SMITH, JOSEPH CULPEPPER and RICHARD L. SALTER appointed to distrubute the estate of EDWARD JONES, dec., to distributees of said estate.

JAMES W. CANNON, temporary administrator of estate of THOMAS CANNON granted leave to sell the cattle, hogs, and a horse belonging to said estate upon giving 15 days notice in public places in the county.

ISAAC JOHNSON appointed administrator of the estate of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec. Bond set at $7500 with ARTHUR B. CARROLL as security. MOSES JOHNSON, SOLOMON FUDGE, THOMAS B. DAVENPORT, JAMES N. TAYLOR, and WILLIAM FELTON appointed to appraise the estate of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec.

LEMUEL CHERRY appointed guardian of GEORGE W. CHERRY, WILLIAM J. CHERRY, and ROBERT CHERRY, orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, late of Pulaski County, dec. The orphans being resident in this county, without guardian, and being under the age of 14 years. Bond set at $6000 with BAPTIST A. SCOTT and ISAAC HOLMES as security.

JAMES CHERRY, one of the minors and orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, late of Pulaski County, dec., being a resident of this county and over age 14 years, appeared in court and voluntary chose HENRY MASHBURN as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $2000 with LEMUEL CHERRY and ISAAC HOLMES as security.

EMILY CHERRY and MARY ANN C. CHERRY, orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, late of Pulaski County, dec., now residents of this county, having no guardian, and under the age of 14 years, the court appointed ISAAC HOLMES as their guardian. Bond set at $4000 with LEMUEL CHERRY and THOMAS T. JOHNSON as security.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator on estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

The oath of office was in open court administered to the following persons: THOMAS D. WALKER as guardian for SARAH ANN BALL, orphan of WILLIAM BALL, dec.; ISAAC JOHNSON, as administrator of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec.; LEMUEL CHERRY, as guardian for GEORGE W. CHERRY, WILLIAM J. CHERRY, and ROBERT CHERRY, orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, dec.; HENRY MASHBURN as guardian for JAMES CHERRY, orphan of GEORGE CHERRY, dec.; and ISAAC HOLMES as guardian for EMILY CHERRY and MARY ANN C. CHERRY orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, dec.

Page 22 - 25 Sep.1837: ELIJAH BARNHAM administrator of the estate of HENRY ROUSE, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes belonging to said deceased.

A. S. EDGEWORTH and JOHN BRYAN, administrators of estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

Page 23 - 6 Nov.1837: The last Will and testament of ALLEN TOOKE, dec., admitted to record and JOSEPH TOOKE, the executor was qualified as such.

THOMAS B. DAVENPORT appointed quardian for MARY JOHNSON orphan of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec. Bond set at $1000 with ALSAY GAMMAGE as security.

FRANCES JOHNSON appointed guardian of her two children, CALVIN JOHNSON and JOHN W. JOHNSON, orphans of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec. Bond set a $2000 with ALSAY GAMMAGE, THOMAS B. DAVENPORT and WILLIAM SMITH as security.

JOSEPH JOHNSON appointed guardian of LOUISA JOHNSON orphan of BENJAMIN JOHNSON. Bond set at $1000 with THOMAS B. DAVENPORT as security.

JAMES W. CANNON appointed administrator on the estate of THOMAS CANNON, dec. Bond set at $2000 with JOHN M. CHASTAIN as security.

REUBEN RUNNELS, THOMAS T. JOHNSON, JAMES MARTIN, WRIGHT L. IVY, and SEABORN C. BRYAN appointed appraisers of estate of THOMAS CANNON, dec.

JOSEPH TOOKE appointed guardian of MARTHA GATLIN. Bond set at $50,000 with WILLIAM S. COALSON and GEORGE WILLIAMS as security.

NATHAN G. LEWIS administrator on the estate of BENJAMIN LEWIS, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negro property of said estate.

SOLOMON FUDGE administrator of the estate of JAMES S. McNAIR granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

LOAM BROWN, temporary administrator on the estate of SCARBOROUGH REMBERT granted

leave to sell the land and negro property of said estate.

SOLOMON FUDGE administrator on the estate of JAMES S. McNAIR granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

LOAM BROWN, temporary administrator on the estate of SCARBOROUGH REMBERT granted leave to sell a horse and all the hogs as perishable property, upon giving 10 days public notice of such sale.

IGDALIAH WOOD, executor of the estate of IRA H. FLINT, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and interest (one-third) of said deceased in store house and lot now in occupancy by Dr. JOHN G. McKINNIE.

THERON L. PHILLEO, temporary administrator on estate of ROBERT T. THRIFT, dec., was granted leave to sell a horse upon giving 10 days public notice.

Page 24 - 20 Nov.1837: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator on estate of WILLIAM D. PATTON, dec., granted letters of dismission.

LOAM BROWN, appointed administrator of estate of SCARBOROUGH REMBERT, dec. Bond set at $1000 with JOHN V. BROWN and WILLIAM B. BROWN as security. (NOTE: See P114-OMISSION)

NILE ARD appointed guardian of MARY and SUSAN McBRIDE, orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec. Bond set at $3000 with ROBERT L. DUNCAN and NATHAN GRIMES as security.

NILE ARD appointed guardian of ANGELINA CHAIN, orphan of FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, dec. Bond set at $2500 with ROBERT L. DUNCAN and NATHAN GRIMES as security.

GEORGE WILLIAMS, WILLIAM S. COALSON, RICHARD JOHNSON Jr., CHARLES F. PATILLO, and HENRY WIMBERLY appointed to appraise the estate of ALLEN TOOKE, dec.

IRWIN AYCOCK appointed guardian of ELI AYCOCK and ELISHA AYCOCK, minors which was agreeable to their desire. Bond set at $1000.

Page 26 - 27 Dec.1837: JACOB LOWMAN, DAVID F. WADE, NICOLAS TAYLOR, JAMES HOLLINGSHEAD, and ISAAC CHEVES appointed to divide the estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec.

JOHN KILLEN, executor of the estate of JAMES H. KILLEN, dec., inadvertenly charged himself $100 being the amount of a horse bequested to the widow which he sold togeather with another valueless horse for the sum of $110. The court ordered he be credited in his next annual return for the $100.

WILLIAM M. TARVIN and SIMON BATEMAN, executors of the estate of GEORGE TARVIN, dec., having completed their assignment were granted letters of dismission.

MATHEW BAILEY appointed administrator on the estate of JAMES BAILEY. Bond set at $6000 with ALSAY GAMMAGE and DANIEL DUPREE as security.

WILLIAM RUSHIN, WILLIAM FALTON, JOHN HUNTER, GREEN BARROW, and JOHN YOUNG appointed to appraise the estate of JAMES BAILEY, dec.

JOSEPH CULPEPPER appointed administrator on the estate of RILEY STRICKLAND, dec. Bond set at $500 with JAMES G. BASKIN as security.

HARDY HARGROVE, R. W. BASKIN, JAMES A. BRYAN, JAMES HOLMES, and SAMPSON CULPEPPER appointed to appraise the estate of RILEY STRICKLAND, dec.

DAVID B. CHAMBERS appointed guardian of WILLIAM ECKELS to replace H. L. IRWIN, dec. Bond set at $1200 with JOHN WEST and ROBERT SHEPPARD as his security.

Page 27 - 1 Jan.1838: Letters of Guardianship were exhibited to the court from the orphans court of Barbour County, AL that ALLIS ROUSE has been regularly appointed guardian of MARY JANE and HARRIET ANN J---- ROUSE, orphans of HENRY J. ROUSE, dec. This court therefore recognized ALLIS ROUSE as their legal guardian.

All guardians, executors, and administrators were granted leave to make their annual return at March term.

The last Will and testament of SAMPSON CHANCE was exhibited, proven and admitted to record. HENRY B. HATHAWAY and JAMES CHANCE were qualified as executors.

JAMES CHANCE, administrator on the estate of MASON CHANCE, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, WILLIAM BROWN, EDWARD A. ROBINSON, JOHN WEST, and DAVID M. BROWN appointed to appraise the estate of S. CHANCE, dec.

JAMES CHANCE and HENRY B. HATHAWAY granted leave to sell the perishable property

of the estate of SAMPSON CHANCE, dec.

Page 28 - 22 Jan.1838: JOSEPH FLOURNOY, administrator of estate of ROBERT FLOURNOY, dec., requested permission to move his administration to Putnam County effective the 1st Monday in February next. Approval granted on condition a certificate is obtained from Putnam County stating that court had given bond and then jursidiction of this court to cease.

JAMES W. CANNON administrator of estate of THOMAS CANNON, dec., sold a colt as estate property which in justice belonged to LYDIA CANNON, widow of the deceased. Court ordered the administrator to pay over to said LYDIA the proceeds of the sale.

GILES MONTZINGO appointed guardian of WILLIAM WEBB in place of CULLEN WEBB. The minor being of legal age made his choice of the change. Bond set at $3000 with SEABORN C. BRYAN and SAMUEL WEBB as security.

DAVID M. BROWN, temporary administrator of the estate of MARTHA LESTER, granted leave to sell the horses, cattle, household and kitchen furniture of said deceased upon giving ten days public notice.

CULLEN WEBB, one of the securities to the bond of JAMES W. CANNON as administrator of the estate of WILLIAM SANDERS, dec., having removed from the county was replaced by JOAB W. C. HORN.

GEORGE M. DUNCAN appointed guardian of FELIX McNAIR an orphan of JAMES S. McNAIR, dec. Bond set at $2500 with JAMES E. DUNCAN as security.

DAVID M. BROWN, guardian of the orphans of SILAS M. LESTER, late of Pulaski County, dec., requested permission to move his guardianship to this court. Bond was set at $7000 with JOHN KILLEN his security.

ARTHUR BARDEN and GREEN WALDEN, executor on the estate of SIMON BARDEN, dec., provided the Will which was proven. EDMUND K. HODGES, JOHN ENGRAM, TURNER G. PEARCE, RICHARD JOHNSON Jr., and HENRY TALTON appointed to appraise the estate. On completion of appraisal the executors were granted leave to sell the stock of hogs, cattle, horses, corn, fodder and other perishable property.

Page 30 - 5 Mar.1838: HUGH LAWSON appointed administrator on estate of ROBERT HOLTON, dec. Bond set at $12000 with SAMUEL HOLTON as security. RICHARD SPENCER, EDWARD CROSS, WILLIAM SMITH, A. MANSON, and D. W. TAYLOR appointed to appraise the estate.

JANE OUTLAW, administratrix on estate of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec., granted until next term of court to make her annual return for 1837.

BRITTON J. SMITH appointed guardian of JOICE OUTLAW, SANDERS OUTLAW, and MATILDA OUTLAW, minors of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec. Bond set at $1000.

The last Will and testament of SIMON BARDEN, dec., was admitted to probate and ordered recorded. ARTHUR BARDEN and GREEN WALDEN, the executors therein were qualified.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS appointed administrator on the estate of JOEL H. ECHOLS. Bond set at $1200 with JOHN J. McWILLIAMS as security.

DAVID M. BROWN appointed administrator on the estate of MARTHA R. LESTER, dec. Bond set at $3500 with JOHN LAIDLER as security. L. C. MANNING, JOHN LAIDLER, H. A. LAIDLER, WILLIAM HOLLOMAN, and E. W. HODGES appointed to appraise said estate.

DAVID M. BROWN, E. W. HODGES, JAMES TAYLOR, JOHN WEST, and L. C. MANNING appointed to divide and lay off into equal shares for the heirs of the estate of JOEL H. ECHOLS, dec., which shall be provided to them by THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator.

MALLARD JENKINS, appointed as administrator of the estate of ELIZA JENKINS, dec. Bond set at $1400 with DARLING JOHNSON as security.

Mrs. LYDIA CANNON, widow of THOMAS CANNON, dec., at great pains, trouble, and loss of time saved the stock of cattle of said deceased from loss during five sucessive winters and has received no equivalent therefore, the court ordered the administratrix to credit her notes for $75.

The heirs of JOHN LUPO, dec., being desirous of a speedy settlement, the court appointed SILAS RAWLS, JAMES G. M. BALL, and SAMUEL WEBB to appropriate to each heir their proportionate share on their giving bond to the administrator sufficient to secure him from any loss.

FREDERICK WATSON security for RICHARD WATSON, guardian of ROBERT, MARY, JAMES, and ALLEN WATSON, minors and children of said RICHARD was relieved as security. A new bond was set at $900 with WILSON CURL and DARLING JOHNSON as security.

The petition of SETH DURHAM showed that LITTLE BRYAN, dec., in his life time made bond to ALLISON ALLEN conditioned to make title to 125 acres in Land Lot #93, 9th Dist. and said LITTLE BRYAN departed this life without executing title. Also said ALLISON ALLEN transferred said bond to DREWY SMITH and said DREWY SMITH to JOHN HOLLOWAY and said JOHN HOLLOWAY to the petitioner. The petition further asked that JOHN BRYAN and A. S. EDGEWORTH, administrators of said LITTLE BRYAN be directed to execute titles. Signed by HOWEL COBB, Petitioners Attorney. A copy of the bond followed dated 23 Jan. 1836 and listing the bond sum at $800. It mentioned the 125 acres adjoined GEORGE W. ROBBINS on the north and ELLERBEE on the east and ROYAL's on the south. It further mentioned a promissary note for $212.50 due 20 Jan.1837 with conditions for a 12 months extension. Witnesses to signature of LITTLE BRYAN were JOHN ELLERBEE and GEORGE W. ROBBINS. The court ordered that the administrators JOHN BRYAN and A. S. EDGEWORTH show cause why titles should not be executed.

DANIEL FREDERICK, CHARLES RUMPH, JACOB LOMAN, JOHN HEGHLY, and SOLOMON FUDGE were appointed to make distribution of such part of the estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec., as may be produced for them for that purpose by the administrator of said deceased.

Page 33 - 6 May 1838: JOHN J. HOWEL, administrator with the Will annexed of ALONZO C. McBRIDE, dec., granted leave to sell a negro girl named Adaline.

The last Will and testament of SHADRACK DENARD, dec., was proven and ordered to be recorded.

JAMES W. CANNON, administrator on the estate of THOMAS CANNON, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

Executors of estate of SHADRACK DENARD, dec., granted leave to sell all the perishable property. JAMES DEAN, JAMES E. DUNCAN, EDWARD ENGRAM, I. WOOD, and JOHN LAIDLER were appointed to appraise estate of the deceased.

Page 34 - 21 May 1838: The Will of SAMUEL STALEY, dec., produced and proven by the oath of LEONIDAS KING in open court was ordered to be recorded. HARDY HARGROVE, JAMES CRAWFORD, SAMUEL FELDER, JOHN M. SMITH and THEODORE GUERRY were appointed to appraise the estate of the deceased.

HEZEKIAH THOMPSON appointed guardian of MARY EMMA THOMPSON, the daughter of WILLIAM A. THOMPSON, dec. Bond set at $2500 with JOSEPH H. THOMPSON as security.

C. C. BEALL and DAVID GRAHAM, executors of SHADRACK DENARD, dec., were qualified before the court.

BRITTON J. SMITH was administered oath of guardianship for JOICE OUTLAW, MATILDA OUTLAW, and SANDERS OUTLAW, orphans of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec. Bond set at $1000.

JOHN R. SENTERFIT, administrator on the estate of JERAMIAH McCORMICK, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

A certified copy of the last Will and testament of WILLIAM GRACE, dec., was ordered to be recorded.

JAMES PRATT appointed administrator of the estate of THOMAS DUFFILL, dec. Bond set at $1500 with JAMES E. DUNCAN as security. WILLIAM K. HALL, JOB SMITH, DRURY W. TAYLOR, WILLIAM KINCHEN, and BURRELL WHITTLE appointed to appraise the estate of THOMAS DUFFILL, dec.

JOAB W. C. HORN, administrator on the estate of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec., having fullfilled and discharged his duty was granted letter of dismission.

Page 35 - 2 Jul.1838: NEILL ARD, guardian of ANGELINE CHAIN, orphan of F. F. CHAIN, dec., and guardian of MARY and SUSAN McBRIDE, orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., has applied some of the funds of the orphans first mentioned to the discharge of his individual liabilities and is therefore mismanaging said estate. Whereas ROBERT L. DUNCAN is one of the securities on the bonds given for the guardianship of both of the aforesaid estates and desires to be released therefrom. The court ordered a rule nisi be served on said guardian 20 days before next term of court to show cause why his trusts should not be revolked and set aside.

AARON L. WARREN appointed administrator on the estate of KITTRELL WARREN, dec. Bond set at $11000 with DANIEL B. LOWE as security.

WILLIAM BARRON, JAMES TAYLOR, JOHN WEST, D. M. BROWN, and ISAAC TAYLOR appointed to appraise the estate of KITTRELL WARREN, dec.

SAMUEL FELDER appointed guardian of GEORGE F. TARVIN. Bond set at $12000 with EDWARD F. McGEHEE as security.

Page 36 - 3 Sep.1838: The last Will and testament of JACOB TAYLOR, dec., was proven and admitted to record. THOMAS POLLOCK qualified as executor.

GILES GINNINGS, guardian of SARAH ANN TAYLOR, produced a certificate from BOWLIN CONNER, Clerk of the Court of Ordinary of Clark County stating that he had filed bond and security in Clark County to remove his guardianship from Houston County to Clark County. Court approved the removal.

GREEN W. BATEMAN, guardian of WILLIAM S. D. P. BRUNSON, produced a certificate from WILLIAM CRITTENDON, Clerk of the Court of Ordinary of Twiggs County stating that he had filed bond and security in Twiggs County to remove his guardianship from Houston County to Twiggs County. Court approved the removal.

REASON JERKINS appointed administrator of the estate of ZACHARIAH JERKINS, dec. Bond set at $400 with STEPHEN R. HAM as security.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM BRUNSON, dec., thru error charged himself with a negro woman Sarah and her child Lewis, sold at $1110, when in fact the proceeds of the sale belonged to the estate of WILLIAM S. D. P. BRUNSON an orphan of the deceased. The court ordered the $1110 be credited to him as administrator and charged against him as the then guardian.

NEILL ARD, guardian of ANGELINA CHAIN an orphan of FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, dec., and also guardian of MARY and SUSAN McBRIDE orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec., having failed to show cause why he appropriated some of the funds of one orphan to his individual liabilities (see 2 Jul.1838 Term of Court) was removed from both guardianships and his securities removed from further liabilities from this date.

ROBERT L. DUNCAN appointed guardian of ANGELINA CHAIN, an orphan of F. F. CHAIN, dec. Bond set at $2500 with NATHAN GRIMES as security.

ROBERT L. DUNCAN appointed guardian of MARY and SUSAN McBRIDE, orphans of JOHN McBRIDE, dec.

Page 37 - 24 Sep.1838: WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, administrator of the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and personal property of said estate, other than negroes.

WILLIAM THOMPSON appointed administrator upon estate of WILLIAM DELIAS, dec. Bond set at $1100 with MILES HARRELL and CHARLES F. PATILLO as security.

Page 38 - 19 Nov.1838: HARDY HARGROVE administrator of the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

JAMES W. CANNON, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM SANDERS, dec., granted leave to sell all the lands and negroes of said estate.

SIMON BATEMAN, SAMUEL FELDER, THEODORE GUERRY, HARDY HARGROVE, and JACOB RILEY were appointed to divide the negroes of the estate of SAMUEL STALEY, dec., among the legatees agreeable to the Will.

ISAAC JOHNSON, administrator of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec., authorized to sell the real estate and negroes.

JOSEPH CULPEPPER, S. CULPEPPER, JAMES HOLMES, HARDY HARGROVE, and JAMES BASKIN were appointed commissioners to divide the estate of the orphans of WILLIAM WHITE, dec.

JAMES PRATT, administrator of the estate of THOMAS DUFFILL, dec., granted leave to sell the land belonging to said estate.

HARDY HARGROVE appointed guardian of SARAH LIPTROT an orphan of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec. Bond set at $7500.

HUGH LAWSON, administrator of estate of ROBERT HOLTON, dec., applied for appointment of commissioners to divide and distribute the estate. D. W. TAYLOR, T. N. McWILLIAMS, W. C. TAYLOR, JAMES TAYLOR, and STEPHEN BROWN were appointed for this purpose.

EDWARD A. ROBINSON appointed guardian for MARY ELLEN and ELIZA SULLIVAN, illegitimate children of ELIZABETH SULLIVAN. Bond set at $7000 with HIRAM GOIN as security.

SAMUEL FELDER relieved from further liability as guardian of GEORGE F. TARVIN, an orphan of GEORGE TARVIN, dec. Per pertition of orphan and consent of guardian.

Page 39 - 7 Jan.1839: ISAAC G. CHEVES, DAVID F. WADE, JAMES N. TAYLOR, JAMES HOLLINSHEAD, and JOHN BRYAN appointed to divide the negro property belonging to ERASTUS J. BRYAN and AMELIA H. BRYAN between said minors.

Letters of Administration heretofore issued to LARKIN S. ARMSTRONG upon estate of

MARTIN ARMSTRONG, dec., were revolked, said LARKIN S. ARMSTRONG not being a citizen of the state of Georgia at time of application or since.

All executors, administrators, and guardians given until next regular term of court to make their annual returns.

The last Will of JEREMIAH DUPREE was proven and admitted to record and IRA E. DUPREE qualified as executor.

JAMES A. BRYAN, MEREDITH JOINER, JOSEPH HANCOCK, THOMAS GILBERT, and CREED T. WOODSON appointed to appraise the estate of JEREMIAH DUPREE, dec.

CHARLES H. RICE was unanimously elected for next two years as Clerk of the Court.

HARDY HARGROVE appointed guardian of SARAH LIPTROT, orphan of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec. Bond set at $7500.

SAMPSON B. KING appointed guardian of RILEY R. KING an orphan of WILLIAM KING, dec. Bond set at $300.

JAMES PARKER appointed guardian of DILILA CUTTS a minor child of ELIJAH CUTTS, dec. Bond set at $850 with JAMES W. CANNON as security.

LEWIS PEACOCK and JOHN PEACOCK were approved as security on bond of WILLIAM HOLLYMAN guardian of THOMAS NELVIN, a minor, to replace THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and BURWELL WHITTLE.

ISAAC D. NEWTON a security with WILLIAMSON CRAWFORD on bond of JANE OUTLAW administratrix of the estate of BENTLY OUTLAW, requested the court to be discharged from his security on grounds that JANE OUTLAW was mismanaging the estate. Court ordered she be given 30 days notice to show cause at next term of court why she should not be compeled to give new security.

Page 41 - 30 Jan.1839: IRA E. DUPREE of Twiggs County, executor of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., having failed to make an annual return in more than two years since qualifying was ordered to appear at next term of court and make a full and satisfactory return or show cause why his letters of testamentary should not be revolked.

A certificate was received from the Court of Ordinary, Washington County, stating that final administration had been granted by that court on the estate of ROBERT T. THRIFT. THERON L. PHILLEO who had been granted temporary letters of administration on the estate was released and relieved from all liability touching said estate.

REASON JERKINS, administrator of the estate of ZACHARIAH JERKINS, dec., was granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

SAMPSON B. KING appointed guardian of RILEY R. KING an illegitimate minor of NANCY KING, dec. Bond set at $300 with JAMES LEWIS as security.

NEILL WALKER appointed guardian for JOHN T. KEMP an orphan of BENJAMIN KEMP, dec. Bond set at $600 with JAMES LEWIS and JOSEPH KEMP as securities.

Page 42 - 4 Mar.1839: ELIJAH DEAN, administrator of estate of STERLING CHAPMAN, having fully administered said estate was relieved and granted appropriate letters.

LOAM BROWN former administrator of estate of SCARBROUGH REMBERT, dec., having moved beyond the limits of this state and thereby vacated his letters was replaced by JOSEPH REMBERT. Bond set at $1000 with THOMAS J. GILBERT and STEPHEN R. HORN as securities.

The matter of the Will of SOLOMON JONES was submitted to the court by LEARY STANLEY, administrator of estate of EDWARD JONES, dec. It was the opinion of the court that the testor intended EDWARD JONES two children to take togeather one share and said LEARY STANLEY was ordered to pay the guardian of the minors of EDWARD JONES mentioned in the Will of said SOLOMON JONES the amount of one share. (NOTE: SOLOMON JONES was GGGG-GF of MARION E. JONES, wife of this compiler. His Will dated 30 Jul.1830, (P) Aug. Term 1830 Duplin County, NC named HAYWOOD and MARSHAL as son's of his son EDWARD JONES. The said HAYWOOD and MARSHAL were sons by his first wife in Duplin County, NC and are later noted in Stewart County, GA records as orphans of EDWARD JONES and under guardianship of JOHN GRIMES. See Stewart County, GA Bond Book B, Abstract No. 35 dated 3 Jan.1838 plus receipts in the annual returns of LEARY STANLEY for 1840 and 1843.)

JOHN J. HOWEL and WILLIAM JOHNSON were appointed guardians of SUSAN McBRIDE, ELIZABETH McBRIDE and ANGELINE CHAIN. The former guardian ROBERT L. DUNCAN was dismissed.

LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., while in life made bond dated 13 Jan.1836 for $1000 conditioned to be void on said LITTLETON SPIVEY making title for town lot #31 in the village of Newman, Coweta County to WILLIAM V. ANDERSON. The said WILLIAM V. ANDERSON petitioned the court to order JOHN W. COWART executor of said estate to make title for said town lot. The court so ordered.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., was granted a credit of $47.81 on his annual return for 1838 for warding off suits and saving interest on notes against the estate.

THOMAS GILBERT appointed guardian for STEPHEN and JOHN FORDHAM orphans of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec. Bond set at $800.

All guardians, executors, and administrators granted until May term of court to make their annual returns.

JAMES FINLEY appointed administrator of the estate of WILLIAM TAYLOR, dec. Bond set at $400 with ELIJAH FINLEY as security.

Page 44 - 13 May 1839: MATHEW BAILEY, administrator of JAMES BAILEY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

It appearing to the court on the complaint of WILLIAMSON CRAWFORD one of the secuities for JANE OUTLAW, administratrix on the estate of BENTLY OUTLAW, dec., that said JANE OUTLAW had failed and neglected to make annual returns and had lent out money belonging to said estate without good security and some without any security - the court ordered that she appear at next term to show cause why WILLIAMSON CRAWFORD should not be relieved of his security and she be compelled to give new security or her administration be revolked.

The nuncupative Will of AARON L. WARREN, dec., was proven and admitted to record.

ELIJAH H. WARREN was appointed administrator with the Will annexed on the estate of AARON L. WARREN, dec. Bond set at $2000 with ELI WARREN and DANIEL B. LOWE as security.

JAMES CHANCE, WILLIAM BROWN, JOHN WEST, DAVID M. BROWN, and HENRY SUMMERFORD were appointed to appraise the estate of AARON L. WARREN, dec.

ELIJAH H. WARREN, administrator de bonis non on the estate of KITTRELL WARREN was granted leave to keep said estate togeather for present year.

ELIJAH H. WARREN appointed administrator de bonis non on the estate of KITTRELL WARREN, dec., which was unadministered in the hands of AARON L. WARREN, administrator who is now deceased. Bond set at $10000.

It appearing to the court that there is an unexpended balance of $60 in the hands of MILES HARRELL, administrator of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec., and that said MILES HARRELL be dismissed on providing the clerk of court with vouchers of legal disbursement.

MILES HARRELL appointed guardian of MARY and DAVID HARRELL as orphans of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec. Bond set at $420 with JOSEPH TOOKE as security.

The last Will and testament of JOHN ROYAL was proved and ordered recorded.

Page 46 - 1 Jul.1839: JAMES W. CANNON, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM SANDERS, dec., having fully administered said estate was relieved from said administration.

EDWARD A. ROBINSON, guardian of the illegitament children of ELIZABETH SULLIVAN was granted permission to sell the real estate of said children.

JOHN SPURLIN, guardian for SILAS SPURLIN an idoit, having given security in Macon County for said guardianship was allowed to remove guardianship from this county and released from liability to this court.

Page 47 - 2 Sep.1839: HUGH LAWSON, administrator of estate of ROBERT HOLTON, dec., was granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

RICHARD WATSON vs FREDERICK WATSON: It appearing to the court that FREDERICK WATSON has in his hands $420.60 paid to him by JOHN KILLEN as executor of JAMES H. KILLEN, dec., and belonging to the children of RICHARD WATSON which was left to them by their grandfather JOSEPH CUTTS. The court therefore ordered that FREDERICK WATSON show cause at next term of court why a rule absolute should not be issued against him requiring him to pay said amount with all interest due to CHARLES H. RICE, Esq., Clerk of the Court.

JOSEPH CULPEPPER, LEONARD KING, EDWARD T. McGEHEE, ROBERT L. DUNCAN, and HOWELL COBB were appointed commissioners to divide and assign to the respective heirs of EDWARD JONES, dec., their entitled protions of said estate.

The annual return of LEARY STANLEY, administrator of EDWARD JONES, dec., for year 1836 showed voucher #38 paid H. COBB charged against the estate for $40 should have been $30. Records ordered amended.

JAMES MURRAY received temporary letters of administration on estate of ANDERSON

BARKER, dec., and granted permission to sell the perishable property on giving 10 day notice.

Page 48 - 4 Nov.1939: ARZA MURRAY and JAMES MURRAY appointed administrators on estate of ANDERSON BARKER, dec. Bond set at $2400 with JAMES MURRAY as security. WILLIAM L. HUNT, JAMES VINSON, JOSIAH VINSON, WILLIAM AVERY, and THEOPHILAS BATEMAN appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN KILLEN administrator of estate of JOHN LUPO, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

ANTHONY M. THOMPSON appointed administrator of ROBERT LAW, dec. Bond set at $12000 with SEABORN C. BRYAN as security. The court further ordered that SAMUEL WEBB, SILAS RAWLS, SAMUEL JENKINS, RUEBIN RUNNELS, and GILES MONTZINGO be appointed to appraise said estate.

NEEDHAM MASSEY, SOLOMON FUDGE, DAVID FUDGE, JAMES N. TAYLOR, and NATHAN ROWLAND appointed commissioners to divide the estate of BENJAMIN JOHNSON, dec., and set over to the heirs their respective portion.

HARDY HARGROVE administrator of the estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., was allowed a credit of $54.37 on his annual return of 1833-34, a credit of $477.65 in his annual return for 1834-35, and a credit of $105.03 on his annual return for 1836-37.

Page 49 - 13 Nov.1839: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., was authorized to sell two negroes, Moses and Ephraim for the benefit of creditors.

EDMUND J. McGEHEE was appointed administrator of the estate of JOHN T. McGEHEE, dec. Bond set at $3000 with EDWARD T. McGEHEE as security. The court further appointed DAVID M. BROWN, HENRY TILL, JOHN LAIDLER, JOHN J. CULLER, and EDWARD A. ROBINSON to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM B. PENUEL appointed administrator of estate of ROBERT GILBERT, dec. Bond set at $400 with ROBERT L. DUNCAN as security. THOMAS J. GILBERT, JOSEPH REMBERT, STEPHEN R. HAM, CHANCIE THARP, and ISAAC LOFTON were appointed to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM TILMAN, JOSEPH TILMAN, and MARION TILMAN, minor children of JOSEPH TILMAN, petitioned the court to appoint ROBERT L. DUNCAN as their guardian. Court approved and set bond at $5000 with JAMES DUNCAN as security.

SEABORN C. BRYAN appointed guardian of property of ELIZABETH JANE, ISABELLA, JOSEY, DANIEL, HARDY, FRANKLIN, MARTHA, ALFORD, and FRANCES SCARBOROUGH, minor children of NOAH SCARBOROUGH. Bond set at $6000 with SILAS RAWLS as security.

Page 50 - 4 Jan.1840: JOHN ROWE, JAMES DUMAS, HAZEL SUMSFORD , JAMES HALL, and STEPHEN H. NEALL, Esq appointed to divide the estate of JAMES JARID, dec.

All executors, administrators, and guardians have until next regular term of court to make their annual return for 1839.

Upon representation of HIRAM T. MANN it was ordered that HENRY B. HATHAWAY and JAMES CHANCE as trustees of the children of HIRAM T. MANN show cause at next regular term of court why they should not give security for their trusteeship or be dismissed.

ANTHONY M. THOMPSON, administrator of ROBERT LAW, dec., granted leave to sell all the the negro property after the appropriate publication of same.

JOEL LOFTON, THOMAS PACE, MATHEW SYKES, WARREN SANDERS, and MICHAEL HOWARD JP, were appointed to distribute the property among the heirs of DANIEL CLARK, dec., that may be shown to them by the executrix and executor.

HARDY HARGROVE guardian of SARAH LIPTROT granted leave after giving public notice to sell one half of lot of land #62 (illegiable) the property of said minor.

Court ordered that the County Treasurer pay JOHN J. FORSYTH the sum of $11 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated. (Reason not given.)

Page 51 - 7 Jan.1840: It appearing to the court that ELIJAH BURHAM is the administrator of the estate of HENRY J. ROUSE, dec., and that WILLIAM LOVELEP has been duly appointed guardian of MARY ROUSE and HARRIET AN JEMIMA ROUSE, the only children of the deceased, the court ordered said administrator to pay over to said guardian the amount due. Four certifications of the Orphan Court of Barbour County, AL followed: 1 Oct.1838 WILLIAM LOVELEP was appointed guardian of MARY ROUSE and HENRIETTA ANN JEMIMA ROUSE minor heirs of HENRY J. ROUSE, dec. Bond was $4000, with THOMAS WARNER his security. The name WILLIAM LOVELACE erronously appeared within the bond but the signature is that of WILLIAM LOVELEP. There followed a true copy certification date 5 Aug.1839 by JAMES G. COLEMAN, Clerk of Orphans Court in which the amount of said bond was said to be at least four times over and above the value of the property of said minors. The last certific-

ation was dated 13 Aug.1839 by ALEXANDER McCALL, Judge of the Orphans Court who testified to the signature of the Clerk of Court.

Page 53 - 2 Mar.1840: WILLIAM TOMLINSON appointed guardian of RHODA E. SMITH, a minor child of JEREMIAH SMITH. Bond set at $400 with JOHN TOMLINSON as security.

ELIJAH H. WARREN, administrator of the estate of KITTRELL WARREN, dec., was granted leave to sell the negroes and land of said estate.

JOHN TOMLINSON appointed administrator to the estate of HUGH CARR, dec. Bond set at $3000 with JAMES A. ROQUEMORE as his security. JOHN M. SMITH, JEREMIAH THOMPSON, WILLIAM HADDOCK, WILLIAM O. BASKIN and HENRY BEATTY appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES G. BASKIN appointed administrator of estate of JAMES BEATTY, dec. Bond set at $2400 with JOSEPH CULPEPPER and ROBERT W. BASKIN as security. JOHN M. SMITH, WILLIAM HADDOCK, WILLIAM O. BASKIN, JEREMIAH THOMPSON, and HENRY BEATTY appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES W. CANNON having fully administered the estate of THOMAS CANNON, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

JAMES G. BASKIN, administrator of JAMES BEATTY, dec., granted leave to sell tomorrow a lot of cotton seed and manure belonging to said estate.

It appearing that HANNAH LAW without having administered the estate of ROBERT LAW, dec., has paid certain estate debts and is due reimbursement therefor. Court ordered ANTHONY M. THOMPSON, administrator of said estate to reimburse her.

LEARY STANLEY, administrator of EDWARD JONES, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

The administrator of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., was authorized to pay T. L. PHILLEO & CO., an account for $70 which was 12 contracts from 31 Jan.1838 to 19 Dec.1839.

It appearing to the court that a citation published according to law that JAMES M. KELLY would apply for administration de bonis non on the estate of FAUNTLEROY F. CHAIN, dec., and he having declined to accept and no representative or creditor of said deceased having applied, the court appointed CHARLES H. RICE, Clerk of Court as administrator de bonis non.

MILES HARRELL, administrator of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec., granted letters of dismission.

Ordered that citation be issued and published for anyone to show cause why JGDELIAH WOOD, executor of estate of IRA H. FLINT, dec., should not be dismissed.

All executors, administrators, and guardians granted until next term of court to made their annual returns.

Page 54 - 4 May 1840: All executors, administrators, and guardians who have not made annual returns for 1839 are granted until next term of court to do so.

It appearing to the court that IRA E. DUPREE, executor of estate of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., has resigned his office and JAMES A. ROQUEMORE having applied for administration de bonis non with the Will annexed on said estate and a citation haveing been published - court approved and set bond at $25000 with JOHN TOMLINSON as his security.

REASON JERKINS administrator of ZACHARIAH JERKINS, dec., having fully administered said estate to be dismissed on publication of a citation to that effect.

THOMAS BUSH appointed guardian of the property of WILLIAM, SIMON, ELIZABETH, JOHN, MARTHA ANN, and SARAH A. BUSH, minor children of said THOMAS BUSH. Bond set at $4000 with DRURY CLARK as secretary.

ELIJAH BURNAM, administrator of estate of HENRY ROUSE, dec., having fully administered said estate was authorized to publish a citation for dismission.

All the annual returns of IRA E. DUPREE as executor of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., were received and ordered to be recorded.

Page 55 - 18 May 1840: NATHAN G. LEWIS appointed administrator of estate of GREEN B. PINKSTON, dec. Bond set at $4000 with HAMILTON HARVEY and WILLIAM H. LEWIS as security. DANIEL BRADWELL, LEONARD J. CROSS, JAMES MELLARD, SEABORN C. BRYAN, and GEORGE HASLAM appointed to appraise said estate.

HARDY HARGROVE appointed administrator de bonis non on estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec. Bond set at $200 with JAMES HOLMES as security.

JAMES E. DUNCAN and JAMES HOLDERNESS, administrators of the estate of EDWARD WELCH, dec., having fully administered said estate and a citation having been published were granted letters of dismission.

JOHN R. SENTERFIT, administrator of the estate of JEREMIAH McCORMICK, having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

Page 56 - 1 Jun.1840: The court presented to the examination of returns for adjournment till clerk in court.

Page 56 - 29 Jul.1840: DAVID ROACH appointed guardian of property of ALITHA ROACH his minor daughter. Bond set at $5000 with WILLIAM S. COALSON and LEVI IZIL as security.

It appearing to the court that according to the last Will and testament of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., that in case his family should not remain togeather the amount provided should be divided over in equal shares to his legatees - - and that the deceased's daughter has since intermarried with JOHN W. CHASTAIN and the widow has since intermarried with ABNER BURNAM and the family did not remain togeather. Further the executor JOHN M. COWART has permitted ABNER BURNAM and his wife CELIA to reside and live on said estate and to use slaves and other property belonging to the estate without compensation therefor. The court ordered the executor to appear at next term to show cause why he should not remove ABNER BURNAM and his family from the estate and why he should not conform to said Will, and on his failure to show just cause the court will proceed as to justice.

JAMES E. DUNCAN appointed guardian of person and property of WILLIAM TILMAN, JOSEPH TILMAN, and MARION TILMAN minor children of JOSEPH TILMAN. Bond set at $3500 with THEODORE GUERRY and MEREDITH JOINER as security.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of WILLIAM T. BRUNSON, dec., having fully administered said estate and a citation published, was granted letters of dismission.

SIMON BATEMAN appointed guardian of person and property of JAMES BEATTY and KATHARINE BEATTY minor children of JAMES BEATTY, dec. Bond set at $5200 with JAMES A. BRYAN as security.

JAMES BASKIN, administrator of estate of JAMES BEATTY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

SEABORN C. BRYAN guardian of ELIZABETH JANE SCARBOROUGH, ISABELLA, DANIEL, HARDY, FRANKLIN, MARTHA, ALFRED, and FRANCIS SCARBOROUGH, minors of NOAH SCARBOROUGH, granted leave to sell the negro property of said minors.

The last Will and testament of JACOB SAULS, dec., was proven by the subscribing witnesses HENRY W. RALEY and JOSEPH N. CARR and admitted to record. LAWRENCE SAULS, one of the executors was qualified. JAMES A. BRYAN, JACOB PIERCE, HENRY W. RALEY, WILLIAM HADDOCK, and SIMON DUPREE were appointed to appraise said estate.

THOMAS POLLOCK appointed administrator of estate of MARY BRANHAM, dec. Bond set at $200 with ABRAHAM SASSER as his security. MATTHEW FREEMAN, JOSEPH ELLIS, WILLIAM M. WILLIS, JOHN MERCER, and WILLIAM P. GILBERT appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 59 - 7 Sep.1840: ISAAC S. MERIAM appointed administrator of estate of THOMAS RED, dec. Bond set at $500 with WILLIAM BROWN as security.

IGDALIAH WOOD, executor of IRA H. FLINT, dec., was granted letters of dismission from said estate.

Page 59 - 16 Oct.1840: THOMAS J. JOHNSON appointed administrator of estate of JAMES MARTIN, dec. Bond set at $1600 with JAMES HOLDERNESS as his security. SEABORN C. BRYAN, WRIGHT L. IVY, JACOB RILEY, JAMES BARRETT, and DARLING JOHNSON appointed to appraise said estate.

THOMAS J. JOHNSON, administrator of estate of JAMES MARTIN, dec., granted leave to rent the plantation of the deceased either privately or at public outcry as determined to be in best interest of the estate.

A rule nisi having been issued upon HENRY B. HATHAWAY and JAMES CHANCE, trustees of the children of the late MARGARET MANN who inherited property under the Will of the late SIMPSON CHANCE, to show cause why they had not given security and they having failed to do so. The court ruled that they were hereby dismissed from trusteeship and ordered that they deliver over and account with HIRAM T. MANN the guardian of said children all the property they may have received under the Will of said SIMPSON CHANCE. A copy of the rule nisi followed with the heading, "MARGARET CHANCE widow of SIMPSON CHANCE, dec., and SARAH JONES, legatee of said S. CHANCE, dec., and ISAAC CHANCE vs HENRY B. HATHAWAY and JAMES CHANCE, Executors", in which mismanagement charges were contained for not giving bond.

JAMES E. DUNCAN appointed administrator of the estate of ELIZABETH TILLMAN, dec. Bond set at $900 with JAMES B. McMURRAY as security.

Page 61 - 3 Nov.1840: The last Will and testament of JAMES C. DOZIER, dec., was proven by oath of ROBERT HODGES and ordered to be recorded. SARAH DOZIER qualified as the esecutrix.

The last Will and testament of NEHEMIAH KING, dec., was proven and admitted to record. LEVI KING one of the executors namcd therein was qualified.

HARDY HARGROVE administrator de bonis non on estate of HOPKINS LIPTROT, dec., was granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

JOHN M. SMITH, WILLIAM HADDOCK, HENRY BEATTY, ROBERT W. BASKIN and HARDY HARGROVE were appointed commissioners to divide the estate of JAMES BEATTY, dec., into equal shares for each legal distributee.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, JOHN WEST, ISAAC TAYLOR, WILLIAM BROWN, and DAVID CLARK were appointed to divide the estate of THOMAS TAYLOR, dec., among legal distributees.

LEARY STANLEY, temporary administrator of the estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to sell, in his discretion, the perishable property of said estate. EZEKIEL EVANS, SANDERS LANE, WILEY LANE, MEREDITH JOINER, and WILSON (no other name listed) were appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 62 - 9 Nov.1840: The last Will and testament of SMITH DAVENPORT, dec., having been proven was admitted to record. FRANCIS B. DAVENPORT was qualified as executor. (NOTE: This Will for reasons unknown does not appear in Will Book A, 1827-1855).

Court ruled that a rule nisi on "JOHN M. CHASTAIN in right of his wife vs JOHN W. COWART, Exec." be dismissed on the grounds of a want of service of the rule on the defendant.

The court again took up the case of the Will of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., as pertains to dividing his estate should his family not remain togeather (see 29 Jul.1840 Term of Court - the names and accusations were repeated here). The court further charged that JOHN W. COWART, the exector with further mismanagement and waste of said estate and that he was greatly embarrassed with debt and had failed to make regular returns. Also that JOHN M. CHASTAIN who intermarried the daughter of the deceased had not been paid. The court again ordered that the said JOHN W. COWART be served notice to appear at next term of court.

Page 63 - 15 Dec.1840: HIRAM T. MANN came before a justice of the court and made oath that HENRY B. HATHAWAY, late trustee of the children of MARGARET MANN, dec., was about to remove from the county and take with him two negro slaves to wit: Nancy and Mariah, belonging to the children and the said HATHAWAY has stated to the testor that he does not intend complying with the previous court order of 16 Oct.1840. The court ordered that the Sheriff of Houston County, his deputy, or any lawful constable of said county are hereby authorized to sieze said negroes and place them in the possession of said HIRAM T. MANN as guardian of the children of MARGARET MANN, dec.

Page 64 - 4 Jan.1841: CHARLES H. RICE was elected Clerk of the Court.

Page 64 - 5 Jan.1841: HIRAM D. GOYNE appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM LUPO, dec. Bond was set at $4000 with EDWARD A. ROBINSON as security. GEORGE MONTZINGO, SILAS RAWLS, SAMUEL WEBB, JACOB RILEY, and GILES MONTZINGO were appointed to appraise said estate.

MARCUS H. BUNN appointed administrator of estate of FREDERICK D. WIMBERLY. Bond set at $25000 with BENJAMIN BRYAN and MILES HARRELL as security.

The court ordered the administrator of the estate of FREDERICK D. WIMBERLY, dec., to keep the estate togeather for present year and to carry on the farm as was done by the deceased in his lifetime. BENJAMIN BRYAN Jr, ORAN D. TUCKER, LEARY STANLEY, JAMES LANE, and EZEKIEL EVANS were appointed to appraise the estate.

ANTHONY M. THOMPSON administrator of ROBERT LAW, dec., was granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

The last Will and testament of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., was duly proven and admitted to record. NANCY WIMBERLY and TERRELL PERRY were qualified as executrix and executor. WILLIAM S. COALSON, EDMUND K. HODGES, ELIJAH WILLIAMS, DAVID HAMITER, and LUNSFORD PITTS were appointed appraisers of said estate.

The last Will and testament of ARTHUR TULL, dec., was proven upon oath of WILLIAM B. PENUEL and JAMES B. McMURRAY and was admitted to record. EDWARD ENGRAM was qualified as executor. JOEL LOFTON, ALFRED NELSON, BRYANT DAUGHTRY, JAMES McLAIN, and THOMAS SMITH were appointed to appraise said estate and to set off support to the family for 1841.

The last Will and testament of AARON LOWE, dec., was proven and admitted to record.

All executors, administrators, and guardians have until next term of court (March) to make annual returns.

Page 66 - 1 Mar.1841: Thomas T. JOHNSON, administrator of JAMES MARTIN, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased, lying in this county.

ELIJAH BURNAM administrator for HENRY J. ROUSE, dec., having fullfilled his administration was granted letters of dismission.

THOMAS A. H. SLEDGE of Troup County applied for letters of administration on estate of HARRIS ALLEN, dec., but having few acquaintenances in Houston County was unable to give bond and security. The court approved his appointment in vacation on basis he could obtain a $5000 bond in Troup County and a certification to this effect would be received from the Clerk of Court in Troup County.

JAMES HOLNES and NARCISSA J. TALTON appointed administrator and administratrix upon estate of HENRY TALTON, dec. Bond set at $25000 with WILLIAM HADDOCK as security. SAMPSON CULPEPPER, ROBERT W. BASKIN, HARDY HARGROVE, WILLIAM B. BRYAN and JOHN M. SMITH appointed to appraise said estate.

DANIEL B. LOWE qualified as executor of the last Will and testament of AARON LOWE, dec. JAMES FITZGERALD, JAMES CHANCE, WILLIAM BROWN, E. P. FLOYD, and BAPTIST N. SCOTT were appointed to appraise said estate.

KINCHEN W. MASSEY appointed administrator (with the Will annexed) de bonis non on the estate of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec. Bond set at $1000 with GEORGE W. MASSEY as security.

JANE STALEY appointed administratrix of estate of CHARLES H. STALEY, dec. Bond set at $1500 with JOHN KILLEN as security. JOSEPH CULPEPPER, JOHN G. HARGROVE, THEODORE GUERRY, JOHN M. SMITH, and JOHN LEAPTROT appointed to appraise said estate.

SEABORN C. BRYAN appointed guardian of person and property of MARY ANN PERRY, LUCINDA PERRY, and J. ELLEFAIR PERRY, minors, agreeable to their request. Bond set at $600 with SAMUEL WEBB as security.

JOHN TOMLINSON administrator of estate of HUGH CARR, dec., granted leave to sell the slaves belonging to said estate.

Court provided that MARY JERKINS on application for temporary administration of the estate of REASON JERKINS, dec., may proceed to sell the cattle as perishable property of said estate upon further giving 10 days public notice.

JOSEPH CARR appointed guardian of person and property of STEPHEN FORDHAM and JOHN F. FORDHAM, minors of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec. Bond set at $800 with JOHN TOMLINSON and LAWRENCE SAULS as security.

GEORGE B. McCOLLUM appointed guardian for CAROLINE BARROW and JACKSON J. BARROW, orphans of WILLIAM BARROW, late of Pulaski County, dec. Bond set at $8000 with CHARLES F. PATILLO as security.

LEARY STANLEY appointed administrator of estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec. Bond set at $500 with JAMES A. BRYAN and CHARLES F. PATILLO as security.

DAVID ROACH, guardian of ELITHIA ROACH a minor, granted leave to sell all her real estate lying in Houston County.

LEWIS PEACOCK administrator of estate of ROBERT KEY, dec., having made the legal notices required by law, was authorized to sell the real estate in Houston County of said estate.

THOMAS POLLOCK, late acting administrator of the estate of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON, dec., in the year 1837 did inadvertently charge himself with sale of negro woman Sarah and her child Lewis amounting to $1110 and at that time he was guardian of WILLIAM S. BRUNSON a minor of the deceased and should have charged himself as such guardian. The court ordered that the sum now be charged to him as guardian and credited to him as administrator.

SIMON BATEMAN on application was granted release from guardianship for CATHARINE BEATTY and JAMES BEATTY orphans of JAMES BEATTY, dec. Court approved and also released JAMES A. BRYAN as security on his bond.

JAMES G. BASKIN appointed guardian for CATHARINE BEATTY and ELIZABETH BEATTY orphans of JAMES BEATTY, dec. Bond set at $4000 with WILLIAM BASKIN as security.

A rule nisi having been granted at the Nov. Term 1840 of this court upon JOHN W. COWART, executor of estate of LITTLETON SPIVEY to show cause why he should not be dismissed from his executorship and abide such order as the court might pass; and charging

said executor with acts of mismanagement in said rule nisi; and said executor having wholly and totally failed to answer said rule nisi or make any showing whatever in said case. Therefor the court ordered that JOHN W. COWART deposite his bond with sufficient security to the Clerk of Court before the 1st day of next term in the sum of $200,000 and to make his annual return for 1840 at or before next term of court.

All executors, administrators, and guardians who have not made their return since the 1st day of Jan. this year have leave to make their returns at May term 1841 of this court.

Page 69 - 20 Mar.1841: MARY JERKINS and DAVID GILES appointed administratrix and administrator of estate of REASON JERKINS, dec. Bond set at $3000 with RICHARD SMITH as security. JOHN FULWOOD, THEOPHILAS BATEMAN, HARDY HOWARD, NICODEMAS THOMPSON, and DANIEL THOMPSON appointed appraisers of said estate.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS administrator of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., having satisfied the court for a mistake made in his return for 1838 for a bag of cotton being returned as belonging to the estate which did not - which bag of cotton amounted to the sum of $30.68½. Court ordered that he be entitled to a credit for this amount and be allowed to charge said estate with that amount.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., was granted letters of dismission from said administration.

Court ordered that citation be published for all persons concerned to show cause why DAVID M. BROWN, administrator of the estate of ELIS BROWN, dec., should not be discharged from said administration.

Page 70 - 20 Mar.1841: It appearing to the court that JOHN W. COWART, executor of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., was ordered (at 1 Mar.1841 term) to give bond and security in sum of $200,000 and it appearing that said order was improperly granted because the parties had before then consented to postpone a trial of the matter - - till second Monday in next month - -. Court rescinded the order and ordered that the rule nisi stand as it did before the granting of said order, and be further investigated at their meeting on the 3rd Monday in April.

SAMPSON B. KING, guardian of RILEY R. KING an orphan, has without authority sold the undivided half of a lot of land in Randolph County belonging to said orphan and is mismanaging said guardinship. Further said orphan at time of guardinship application was over age 14 and never gave his consent and that the bond given was insufficient to cover the value of the estate of said orphan. The court ordered SAMPSON B. KING to show cause at next regular term why he should not be dismissed and that a copy of this rule nisi be served on him.

Ordered that estate of REASON JERKINS, dec., be kept togeather this year by administrators and the farm carried on as in the lifetime of the intestate.

Page 71 - 19 Apr.1841: JOHN M. CHASTAIN and his wife SOPHIAH vs JOHN W. COWART qualified Executor of LITTLETON SPIVEY, deceased: The above rule nisi having been served and responded to by said executor denying all charges of mismanagement and said JOHN M. CHASTAIN and his wife having introduced evidence for the purpose of controverting said censure which evidence so far from impeaching the return of the executor sustains said return vs the said executor having introduced proof satisfactorly to this court that the circumstances of ABNER BURNAM and his wife residing on the premises are of great benefit and advantage to said estate of LITTLETON SPIVEY. The court ordered that the said rule nisi be discharged.

Page 72 - 3 May 1841: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., in his annual return last made, returned a note made by COLLIN & JELKS payable to said administration dated 9 Dec.1840 for $246.32 with a credit of $70 dated 13 Jan.1841 and it appearing that EZEKIEL DANIEL, administrator of the estate of ELIZABETH IRWIN, dec., is entitled to possession of said note for purpose of collection. Court ordered that said EZEKIEL DANIEL be allowed to withdraw said note and that ISAAC TAYLOR recieve said note.

It appearing to the court that SARAH GARNER of Richland District, SC., by her last Will and testament gave and bequested to GALE HAMPTON an infant under age 21 years, son of JOHN J. HAMPTON of Houston County, GA., five negroes viz - negro woman Amy, boy Secuter, boy Dennis, girl Leah, and boy Henry. Court ordered JOHN J. HAMPTON appointed guardian of his son. Bond set at $5000 with ADAM T. HOLMES and CONRAD MURPH as security. The Clerk of Court to furnish said JOHN J. HAMPTON with the order of this court so he may file copy in Richland District, SC in order to remove the property.

JANE STALEY, administrator of CHARLES H. STALEY, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate.

SAMPSON B. KING guardian of RILEY R. KING having been served with a rule nisi to show cause why he should not be removed and he having failed to appear and respond to

said rule - was discharged from said guardianship.

HANNAH LAW having for the year 1840 supported at her own expense, MARGARET A. LAW, ZACHARIAH J. LAW, ARGIN E. LAW, MARY A. LAW, and AMANDA M. LAW, minor children of ROBERT LAW, dec., who are unable to earn anything - ordered that said HANNAH LAW be allowed by the administrator of ROBERT LAW, dec., the sum of $5 per month for each of said minor children for 1840.

It appearing to this court that Mrs. HANNAH LAW widow of ROBERT LAW, dec., bought a clock for $25 and gave her note which was secured in the name of ALONZO WOODFORD, that she put said clock as assets of the estate of said ROBERT LAW and that said clock sold at administration sale for sum of $15, that the fifa vs Mrs. LAW has been paid by the administrator amounting in principal and interest to $30. Ordered that only $15 be allowed said administrator being the amount for which said clock sold at said administration sale.

HUGH L. DENNARD guardian of minor orphans of ALEXANDER DENNARD, late of Baker County, dec., being desirous to remove said guardianship from Baker County to this county. Bond was set at $40,000 for this purpose.

LEMUEL CHERRY guardian of GEORGE W., WILLIAM J., and ROBERT CHERRY, orphans of GEORGE CHERRY, dec., having given bond and security in Muscogee County to remove said guardianship to that county was permitted to do so.

THERON L. PHILLEO appointed administrator of the estate of THOMAS JARMIN, dec. Bond set at $100 with JAMES HINE as security. RICHARD N. WESTBROOK, WILLIAM L. KENNADAY, ISAAC D. WILKES, LAWSON J. HENDERSON, and WILLIAM BROWN appointed to appraise said estate.

RICHARD HUDSON appointed guardian for JAMES BEATTY an orphan of JAMES BEATTY, dec., who is over age 14 and appeared in person requesting said appointment. Court approved and set bond at $1800 with LEWIS HILL as security.

Letters of dismission granted GRISHAM BRYAN guardian of ALLEN BRYAN on having fully complied with the law.

ELIJAH H. WARREN, administrator of KITRELL WARREN, dec., ordered to show cause at next term of court why DANIEL B. LOWE as security on his bond should not be relieved.

Page 74 - 5 Jul.1841: JOHN S. M. BALDWIN, executor of JOHN BALDWIN, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

HIRAM D. GOYNE, administrator of WILLIAM LUPO, dec., given leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

LEARY STANLEY, administrator of estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., granted leave to sell a negro woman belonging to said estate.

Page 74 - 1 Nov.1841: (NOTE: No explination was given why no meeting of the court was held between 5 Jul.1841 and 1 Nov.1841. SIMON BATEMAN one of the Justices died 5 Aug. 1841 while on an overnight stop in Macon, GA during a return trip from the state capitol in Milledgeville, GA - reported in The Georgia Journal & Messenger. A quorum of three Justices were required).

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, administrator of estate of HUGH L. IRWIN, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

The last Will and testament of THOMAS SMITH, dec., having been proven was admitted to record. TURNER SMITH and SARAH SMITH (the name NANCY SMITH was first written and then NANCY was struck out and SARAH written above), the executor and executrix were qualified. ALFRED NELSON, EASON JOINER, RICHARD SMITH, LEWIS HILL, and BRYANT DAUGHTRY were appointed to appraise said estate.

The Will of AARON LOWE, dec., bequested to his widow a yoke of steers. Before delivery one of the steers died and the executor refused to deliver a yoke of steers by delivering only the living steer. The court ordered DANIEL B. LOWE, executor, to replace the dead steer with one other equally good and valuable and deliver to said widow without unnecessary delay.

HARRIET THOMPSON appointed administratrix of estate of JEREMIAH THOMPSON, dec. Bond set at $1200 with ISHAM WRIGHT as security. JAMES BRACEWELL, JAMES EVERETT, RUEBIN H. LUCKEY, WILLIAM HOLLINGSHEAD, and JUDSON KENDRICK appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES PARKER, guardian of DELILA CUTTS and JOHN E. CUTTS minor children, having given bond in Sumter County was authorized to remove said guardianship from this county.

THOMAS A. H. SLEDGE, administrator de bonis non of the estate of HARRIS ALLEN, dec., requested permission to remove said administration to Troup County. Court concurred that he be authorized to do so on satisfactory exhibit of posting bond in Troup County.

THOMAS A. H. SLEDGE, administrator de bonis non of the estate of HARRIS ALLEN, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased.

MARIA MATTHEWS, a minor orphan over age of 14 years applied for appointment of GILES MONTZINGO as her guardian. Court approved and also added JOHN MATTHEWS, both being orphans of LODOWICK MATTHEWS, late of Washington County, dec. Bond set at $500 with GEORGE MONTZINGO as securtiy. (NOTE: Washington County records show GILES MOZINGO was appointed administrator of LODOWICK MATTHEWS, dec., on 14 Jan.1839 and granted letters of dismission in Sep.1843).

The last Will and testament of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., was proven and admitted to record. MARTHA PATTISHALL executrix was qualified. JOEL LOFTON, EDWARD ENGRAM, EDWIN MOUNGER, THOMAS WILLIAMS, and JAMES B. McMURRAY appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 77 - 4 Jan.1842: HUGH LAWSON appointed guardian of ROBERT, MARK, ELIZABETH and WARREN HOLTON, orphans of ROBERT HOLTON, dec. Bond set at $15000 with MARGARET HOLTON as security.

JOHN D. WINN appointed administrator of estate of FRANCIS ALLEN, dec. Bond set at $8000 with GEORGE M. DUNCAN and WILLIAM T. BROWN as his security. JACOB RILEY, GEORGE MONTZINGO, JOHN E. DENNARD, SEABORN C. BRYAN, and SAMUEL JENKINS to appraise the estate.

HUGH LAWSON, administrator of estate of ROBERT HOLTON, dec., applied for letters of dismission and a citation to that effect ordered to be published.

ALEXANDER SMITH appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM SMITH Jr., dec. NEEDHAM SMITH, JOHN FULTON, JOSIAH HODGES, and LEARY STANLEY appointed to appraise said estate.

LAWRENCE SAULS appointed administrator of estate of CHRISTIAN SAULS, dec. Bond set at $600 with JOSEPH CARR as security. WILLIAM HADDOCK, SIMON DUPREE, HERNY W. RALEY, CALVIN LEARY, and JACOB PEARCE appointed to appraise said estate.

DANIEL B. LOWE, executor of estate of AARON LOWE, dec., granted leave to sell the estate in remainder of AARON A. LOWE, minor, in lots #271 and 272 in the 14th District.

JOEL LOFTON, ALFRED NELSON, ZACHARIAH LAMAR, GEORGE W. BIVINS, and RICHARD SMITH were appointed to appraise estate of SMITH DAVENPORT, dec.

NATHAN G. LEWIS, administrator of the estate of GREEN B. PINKSTON, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

All executors, administrators, and guardians permitted to make their annual returns to the March term of this court.

Page 78 - 25 Jan.1842: The last Will and testament of STERLING C. WILLIAMSON, dec., was proven and admitted to record. PAUL S. DINKINS one of the executors named was qualified.

ELIZABETH CULLER appointed administratorix of estate of JOHN J. CULLER, dec. Bond set at $10,000 with PHILIP B. D. H. CULLER and JACOB RILEY as security. JOHN M. CHASTAIN, DURHAM BOWEN, CHRISTIAN J. STALEY, DAVID M. BROWN, and DAVID H. RILEY appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN W. HERRINGTON appointed guardian of person and property of ELIZA BATEMAN, MARY BATEMAN, NANCY BATEMAN, MARTHA BATEMAN, MARGARET BATEMAN, and SIMON D. BATEMAN, orphans of SIMON BATEMAN, dec. Bond set at $600.

Page 78 - 7 Mar.1842: JORDAN REESE petitioned the court that he stood as security for several years for DANIEL B. LOWE as administrator of estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec., and said administrator has become insolvent, has failed to make returns, and has wasted or will waste and squander the assets of said estate, and he desires to be relieved from his securityship. Court ordered that DANIEL B. LOWE appear at May term of court and on or before that time render a complete and full account of said estate to the court. Further that he show cause why JORDAN REESE should not be relieved of his security and replaced with other sufficient security.

JOSEPH A. CARR appointed administrator de bonis non of estate of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec. Bond set at $1500 with LAWRENCE SAULS as security.

The last Will and testament of JOHN M. SMITH, dec., was proven and ordered admitted to record. WILLIAM O. BASKIN an executor therein named was qualified. EDWARD A. HARVEY, ROBERT W. BASKIN, CALVIN MINSHEW, JOHN G. HARGROVE, and HENRY BEATTY were appointed to appraise said estate.

ARCHILLES S. EDGEWORTH and JOHN BRYAN, administrators of the estate of LITTLE BRYAN, dec., having fully administered said estate were issued letters of dismission.

ELIJAH WILLIAMS, administrator of the estate of JAMES HOLT, dec., late of Baker

County, stated his desire to remove his administration from Baker County to Houston County. Bond was set at $16,000 with CHARLES F. PATILLO and GEORGE WILLIAMS as security.

The security of JOSEPH JOHNSON, guardian for LAWSEY JOHNSON an orphan, was reported to have moved from the state. New bond was set at $900 with JOHN G. DUNCAN as security.

GEORGE N. DUNCAN appointed administrator of the estate of MARTHA McNAIR, dec. Bond set at $300 with JAMES E. DUNCAN as security. SOLOMON FUDGE, DAVID FUDGE, DANIEL McNAIR, SEABORN C. BRYAN, and JAMES R. G. MELLARD appointed to appraise said estate.

MARY JERKINS, appointed guardian for JAMES WILLIAM THOMAS JERKINS, MAXIN M. JERKINS, and REASON JERKINS orphans of REASON JERKINS, dec. (the two first named being over age 14 and consenting). Bond set at $4000 with THEOPHILAS BRYAN as security.

The last Will and testament of SARAH WIGGINS was proven and ordered to be recorded.

All executors, administrators, and guardians who have not made returns this year are authorized to do so on or before the May term.

Page 81 - 2 May 1842: It appearing to the court that the rule nisi issued on DANIEL B. LOWE as administrator of the estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec., per the petition of JORDAN REESE at the March term of court had not been served on said administrator. It was therefore ordered that said rule be enlarged and made returnable to next term of court.

ENOS YOUNG appointed administrator on estate of JAMES T. MOORE, dec. Bond set at $2000 with good security to be judged by the Clerk of this court. STERLING TOOKE, ISAAC H. ROYAL, FELDING C. ROYAL, JOSEPH E. TOOKE, and WILLIAM THOMPSON appointed to appraise said estate.

CLARK BROWN appointed guardian of his children as legatees of NEHEMIAH KING, dec. Bond set at $120.

SEABORN C. BRYAN guardian of orphans of JAMES PERRY, dec., have leave to sell the land of said orphans.

SEABORN C. BRYAN guardian of the minor children of NOAH SCARBOROUGH, dec., have leave to make his annual return to next term of court.

On application of ALPHEUS M. HORNE and ELISHA B. HORNE minor orphans over the age of 14 years, ORRAN C. HORNE was appointed their guardian. ORRAN C. HORNE was also appointed the guardian of JOHN H. HORNE and PERMELIA E. HORNE all of said minors being orphans of ELIZABETH HORNE, dec. Bond set at $5000 in vacation on his giving good security.

JOHN C. MOUNGER petitioned the court that he togeather with BURWELL ALLMAN, JOHNSON WELLBORN, and ALLEN BUSBEE were securities on the bond of JOHN A. ALLMAN for guardianship of MARY O'NEAL and MARTHA O'NEAL, minor orphans of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL, dec. That said guardian has removed from the county of Houston, that all his co-securities have either died insolvent, moved beyond the limits of Georgia, or are now insolvent and he now prays to be released from further liability. Court ordered that JOHN A. ALLMAN be required to show cause at next term of court why he should not give other good security and JOHN C. MOUNGER be released. Court further ordered he be served with a rule nisi to this effect.

Page 82 - 5 Jul.1842: The last Will and testament of CATHARINE BEATTY, dec., was proven and admitted to record. WILLIAM HADDOCK was qualified as executor. JAMES McLAIN, WILLIAM O. BASKIN, JAMES G. BASKIN, HENRY BEATTY, and URIAH JONES appointed appraisers for said estate.

HENRY BUNN and MARCUS A. BUNN, administrators of the estate of FREDERICK D. WIMBERLY, dec., having advertized in a public gazette for four months are granted leave to sell the real estate and a portion of the slaves belonging to the estate.

NEILL WALKER, guardian of person and property of JOHN T. KEMP, a minor and orphan of BENJAMIN KEMP, dec., having fully settled the estate of said minor, was granted letters of dismission.

Page 84 - 26 Jul.1842: It appearing to the court that JOHN W. COWART an executor of the last Will and testament of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., has failed to make annual returns, that he is largely in arrears with said estate, that he is grossly mismanaging said estate, that he is exceedingly embarrassed in his pecuniary matters, and is very likely to become if he is not now already so entirely insolvent. On motion of AVNER BURNAM in right of his wife CELIA N., ordered that JOHN W. COWART, executor of LITTLETON SPIVEY personally appear at Court of Ordinary on 1 September next to give a full account of his actions and doings and to give good and sufficient security. On failure to do so he to be relieved from said executorship.

REASON JERKINS, dec., while in life gave a bond to make title to ROBERT JERKINS for

land lot #206, 6th Dist and said bond was transferred to KINDRED SAWYERS one of the heirs at law of said deceased. On consent of all parties of interest the administrator was directed to make title on payment of the consideration money in said bond.

The last Will and testament of WILLIAM HOLLY, dec., was proven in open court and admitted to record. WILLIAM HOLLY Jr., was qualified as executor. AMOS YOUNG, ENOS YOUNG, HARDY HUNTER, STEPHEN JOHNSON, and JOHN F. BROWN were appointed to appraise said estate.

The petition of BENJAMIN PRESCOTT and his wife ANN PRESCOTT showed that ANN PRESCOTT as one of the children of HUGH CARR, dec., was entitled to a disbursement of the estate. Also that JOHN TOMLINSON was appointed administrator on 2 Mar.1840 of the deceased and has mismanaged the estate and has never returned an appraisement or inventory or made annual returns and refuses to give any account of his actions and doing, has disposed of property and effects in a secret and clandistian way to defraud his creditors and now holds himself out to the world as an insolvent. The petitioners further requested the court to take certain action and was signed by JAMES M. KELLY, Petitioners Attorney. Court ordered that said JOHN TOMLINSON show cause at next term of court why his administration should not be revolked and that he be served by the Sheriff twenty days before next term.

DANIEL B. LOWE as executor of last Will and testament of AARON LOWE, dec., having failed to make his annual returns, having privately contracted away part of the real estate, that he is appropriating the assets of the estate to his own benefit, that he has failed to pay any debts, and for other charges outlined - the court ordered that he appear at next term of court to answer the charge and on failure to do so his executorship be revolked.

HIRAM D. GOYEN administrator of estate of WILLIAM LUPO, dec., having fully administered the said estate was granted a letter of dismission.

The clerk of court was ordered to notify all defaulting executors, administrators, and guardians requiring them to show cause why they had not made return as required by law.

Page 86 - 5 Sep.1842: MARGARET MARSHALL appointed administrator on the estate of MATTHEW MARSHALL, dec. Bond set at $4000 with LEVI KING as security. WILLIAM B. HALSTED, STEPHEN CASTILAN, THOMAS WATSON, GEORGE W. SCARBOROUGH, and JACOB W. BASON appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN TODD appointed guardian of his two children (minors) ELIZABETH F. TODD and MARY F. TODD. Bond set at $240 with ABRAHAM SASSER as security.

JOHN A. ALLMAN appointed guardian of person and property of MARY ANN E., and MARTHA J. O'NEAL orphans of WILLIAM O'NEAL, dec. Bond set at $1800 with JOHN S. TAYLOR as security.

THOMAS DOLES, administrator with Will annexed on the estate of JESSE DOLES late of Baldwin County, dec., desiring to remove said administration to this county. Bond was set at $2000 with THOMAS BUSH as his security.

SILAS RAWLS appointed guardian of JACKSON MARTIN an orphan of JAMES MARTIN. Amount of bond not stated but SEABORN C. BRYAN listed as security.

The last Will and testament of HENRY FEAGAN, dec., was proven and ordered recorded.

WILLIAM SEGO, HEZEKIAH THOMSON, THOMAS BUSH, STEPHEN BASSET, and THOMAS LEWIS were appointed to appraise the estate of JESSE DOLES, dec.

HANNAH LAW appointed guardian of person and property of SARAH LAW and AMANDA LAW, orphans of ROBERT LAW, dec. Bond set at $2000 with LORENZO D. NORWOOD as security.

ANTHONY B. THOMPSON appointed guardian of person and property of ABIGAIL LAW and LORENZO LAW (when he may provide to the Clerk of Court their request to that effect), orphans of ROBERT LAW, dec. Bond set at $2000.

It appearing to the court that DANIEL B. LOWE executor of last Will and testament of AARON LOWE, dec., has failed and neglected to make his annual returns, that he has privately contracted away part of the real estate, that he is appropriating the assets of the estate to his own benefit, that he failed to pay any of the debts, that he suffers himself and indiscriminately for all the debts of said estate, that the farm and hands of said estate are competent to have paid the debts since being in his hands, that plantation is delapidating, that he is insolvent, etc. Court ordered that said DANIEL B. LOWE appear at court on the 1st Monday of November next to answer all charges.

It appearing to the court that at the July term a rule nisi was obtained at request of AVNER BURNAM in right of his wife CELIA N., formerly CELIA N. SPIVEY, against JOHN W. COWART, executor of last Will and testament of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., alledging

that said JOHN W. COWART is mismanaging the estate, has failed to make returns and is largely in arrars, that he is exceedingly embarrassed in pecuniary matters, and is likely if not already insolben and said rule nisi having required him to appear at this term of court was properly served and he having failed to appear - court ordered that he be discharged, from this day, from his said executorship. Following a rule absolute to that effect JOHN W. COWART being dissatisfied with the judgement and thru his attorney JAMES M. KELLY and with JOHN E. DENNARD as security who agreed to pay all costs and demands in sum of $100 for said appeal which was dated 9 Sep.1842.

Page 89 - 7 Nov.1842: JAMES M. RAY, temporary administrator of JOSHUA TAYLOR, dec., granted leave to sell the crop of cotton and corn, growing and standing in the field, and any other perishable property, upon giving 10 days public notice. JEFFERSON WESTBERRY, VINCENT CALHOUN, WILLIAM WEST, JAMES W. KELVIN and NATHAN G. LEWIS appointed to appraise said estate.

The last Will and testament of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., was proven in open court on oath of JAMES HOLMES and JAMES G. BASKIN and ordered admitted to record.

JAMES HOLMES and NARCISSA TALTON, administrator and administratrix of HENRY TALTON, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of the deceased.

Court ordered that no appraisement or inventory be made or required by SAMPSON CULPEPPER and REUBEN M. HARGROVE, executors of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

The last Will and testament of HENRY FEAGAN, dec., was proven and JOHN H. THOMAS qualified as executor. MILES SANDERS, JOSIAH HODGES, NEEDHAM SMITH, JOEL WALKER, and JESSE SMITH were appointed to appraise said estate.

Mrs. ELIZABETH RUDD, appointed administratrix of Dr. WILLIAM H. RUDD, dec. Bond set at $10,000 with JAMES E. P. DUNCAN as security. THOMAS WILLIAMS, JAMES B. McMURRAY, EDWIN MOUNGER, CURTIS B. NOTTINGHAM and JARED S. DENNARD appointed appraisers.

SAMPSON CULPEPPER and REUBEN M. HARGROVE were qualified by oath as executors of estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

Letters of administration granted by this court to JOHN TOMLINSON on the estate of HUGH CARR, dec., are hereby fully and absolutely revolked - it having come to the courts attention that at time of said deceased death he was a resident of Pulaski County and only the Court of Ordinary of that county has the right to issue letters of administration on the deceased estate.

It appearing to the court that DAVID HAMMOCK has recently died intestate and no person has applied for letters of administration, and that perishable property of said estate is going to waste - therefor ordered that CHARLES H. RICE, Clerk of Court take charge as administrator ex officio of said estate and proceed to sell the perishable property as soon as the law will permit. ISAIAH LANGLEY, LORENZO D. NORWOOD, ELIAS MIMS, WILLIAM F. JENKINS, and ANTHONY M. THOMPSON appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 93 - 19 Nov.1842: JOHN KING appointed administrator of the estate of JAMES KING, dec. Bond set at $3000 with THOMAS KING as security. CHARLES R. LAW, THOMAS WATSON, DENNIS McLENDON, JOHN MILLER, and GEORGE SCARBOROUGH appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 93 - 5 Dec.1842: EMILY FIFE appointed guardian of the person and property of her children ANN EMILIA SCARBOROUGH and SARAH M. SCARBOROUGH orphans of ABRAHAM M. SCARBOROUGH, dec. Bond set at $3200 with SAMPSON CULPEPPER as security.

Page 94 - 2 Jan.1843: CHARLES H. RICE was elected by the Justices present as Clerk of the Court.

The last Will and testament of SAMUEL JENKINS was proven and admitted to record. SEABORN C. BRYAN, GILES MONTZINGO, GEORGE MONTZINGO, EDMUND J. McGEHEE, and JOHN E. DUNCAN were appointed to appraise said estate. ANN JENKINS and JOHN M. GILES were qualified as executrix and executor.

The last Will and testament of LEWIS SUGGS, dec., was proven and ordered to be recorded. EMILY SUGGS and JOHN S. MURRAY qualified as executrix and executor. GEORGE W. BEVANS, JOHN S. ROYALS, WILLIAM THOMPSON, ZACHARIAH LAMAR and DAVID O. SMITH appointed to appraise said estate.

The last Will and testament of ISHAM WRIGHT, dec., was proven and admitted to record.

WILLIAM O. BASKIN, HARDY HARGROVE, CHARLES S. CULPEPPER, ROBERT W. BASKIN and JAMES HOLMES appointed to appraise the estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

ENOS YOUNG administrator of JAMES T. MOON, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and negroes belonging to said estate.

It appearing to the court that the administration granted to JOHN TOMLINSON upon the estate of HUGH CARR, dec., was improvidently granted and said administrator so granted is void and it further appearing that said JOHN TOMLINSON has acted under this authority so improperly granted - ordered that the administrator of the said HUGH CARR, dec., properly appointed will be allowed by this court any amounts paid and recieved agreeably to law by said JOHN TOMLINSON during the time he may have acted as administrator.

THOMAS A. H. SLEDGE, administrator de bonis non of the estate of HARRIS (last name omitted - should be ALLEN per previous records) dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate and negroes of said estate.

SAMPSON CULPEPPER declined to become security on the bond for EMILY FIFE as guardian of the orphans of ABRAHAM M. SCARBOROUGH, dec., and REUBEN M. HARGROVE was substitued as such security.

GEORGE W. RAY, administrator on estate of JOSHUA R. TAYLOR, dec., was ordered to furnish MARY R. TAYLOR the widow and relict of said deceased, provisions consisting of meat, bread, sugar, coffee, and other articles as are usually consumed as victuals in families for herself and her child by said deceased and that he make an accounting of such in his returns.

MURDOCK McCASKILL appointed guardian of person and property of JOHN McMILLAN infant under age 21 - the said McCASKILL having been appointed by a Court of Chancery in SC and his said ward and wards being now in this state and county. Bond set at $7000 and letters of guardianship to be issued on reciept of good security.

Page 96 - 30 Jan. 1843: IRA E. DUPREE, executor of the estate of JEREMIAH DUPREE, dec., was charged with neglect and failure to make returns, being in insolvent circumstance, that he has received money for which he has wholly unaccounted and their are now judgements against him as such executor unpaid which should have been avoided. Court ordered that he show cause at March Term of Court why he should not give security for his future administration or be removed and discharged from his executorship.

The executrix of JOHN J. CULLER was authorized to keep the hands, belonging to said estate togeather, work and cultivate the present year the plantation for the benefit of said estate instead of hiring the negroes and renting said plantation.

Page 97 - 6 Mar. 1843: JACOB W. PEARCE appointed administrator of JOHN PEARCE, dec. Bond set at $4000 with JOHN R. PEARCE as security. CALVIN LEARY, SIMON DUPREE, HENRY GREGORY, THOMAS BURGY and JAMES HALL appointed to appraise said estate.

SEABORN C. BRYAN appointed administrator on estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec. Bond set at $40,000 with JAMES HOLMES and JOHN J. HAMPTON as security. SILAS RAWLS, JACOB RILEY, JOHN J. HAMPTON, JOHN E. DENNARD and GILES MIZENGO appointed to appraise said estate.

The returns for 1842 of ANTHONY M. THOMPSON as administrator of ROBERT LAW, dec., were received and ordered to be recorded.

HARRIET THOMPSON administratrix of JEREMIAH M. THOMPSON, dec., was allowed to ratain in her own hands the sum of $150 for support of herself and two children for twelve months next after death of her late husband.

GEORGE W. RAY appointed administrator of estate of JOSHUA R. TAYLOR, dec. Bond set at $1000 with good security to be given the Clerk of Court.

MARGARET MARSHALL the widow and administratrix of MATTHEW MARSHALL, dec., granted leave to keep the estate togeather the present year, to work, cultivate, and manage the plantation for the benefit ot the heirs.

WILLIAM McKENZIE appointed temporary administrator for WILLIAM M. POWELL, dec., and granted leave to sell the perishable property of corn, fodder, hogs, and cattle on giving 10 days public notice. NATHAN G. LEWIS, VINCENT CALHOUN, JEFFERSON WESTBERRY, HAMILTON LEWIS, and HENRY McKENZIE appointed to appraise said estate and they are authorized to assign to the widow one year support for herself and her children.

DAVID M. BROWN having fully administered the estate of ELIAS BROWN, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

EDWARD A. HARVEY appointed guardian of GEORGE W. WILKINSON and CARTER WILKINSON, minors, per their request, being the children of VIRGINIA C. WILKINSON. Bond set at $1000 upon his giving good security.

ALLEN ALBRITTON appointed guardian of MATTHEW R. B. and MARTHA F. ALBRITTON, orphans of McCAIN ALBRITTON, late of Burke County, dec. Bond set at $2000 with WILLIAM HARRINGTON as security.

HARRIET R. THOMPSON administratrix of estate of JEREMIAH M. THOMPSON, dec., granted leave to sell a house and lot in the village of Fort Valley.

JOHN TOMLINSON security for JOSEPH CARR as guardian of the children of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec., requested to be dismissed from said securityship. Court ordered JOSEPH CARR to show cause at next term of court why the request should not be granted, and new security provided.

THOMAS DOLES, administrator with the Will annexed on estate of JESSE DOLES, dec., granted leave to sell said estate.

The last Will and testament of BLUEFORD TILLOTSON, dec., was proven and admitted to record and the executor therein qualified. WILLIAM B. HALSTED, SHEPPARD ROGERS, BENJAMIN McKINNEY, REDDICK BASSMON, and WILLIAM HERRINGTON appointed to appraise said estate. (NOTE: No record of this Will is listed in Will Book A 1827-1855.)

JANE G. CULPEPPER guardian of the person and property of the orphans of MARINER CULPEPPER, dec., having removed from Monroe County to this county, presented to the court all her actings and doings as such guardian as appears on records in Monroe County and requested her guardianship be transferred to this court. Bond set at $30,000.

EDMUND P. FLOYD petitioned the court that WILLIAM A. LOWE is an idiot or insane person and incapable of managing his own affairs and that AARON LOWE, dec., the father of said WILLIAM A. LOWE and grandfather of said petitioner by his last Will bequested to said WILLIAM A. LOWE two negroes and some property and did not leave him any testamentary guardian. Further the petitioner having given more than 10 days notice to DAVID B. LOWE, executor of AARON LOWE, dec., and MARTHA WARREN, brother and sister of said WILLIAM A. LOWE the legatees in remainder of the property so bequested to the said WILLIAM A. LOWE. Petitioner prays the court to issue a commission directing the proper persons to examin by inspection the person of said WILLIAM A. LOWE as to his mind and to make return to the court whether or not he is an idiot, lunatic or insane person. Signed: WARREN & SCARBOROUGH, Attorneys for Petitioner. E. P. FLOYD then signed on 6 Mar.1843 a sworn statement before WILLIAM D. WHITEHEAD a Justice that the foregoing petition for a commission of lunacy as set forth in the petition was true. The court then ordered that Dr. EDWARD T. McGEHEE, WILLIAM BROWN, DAVID M. BROWN, HIRAM D. GOYNE, ROBERT SHEPPARD, RICHARD W. WESTBROOK, JEFFERSON R. WESTBERRY, JAMES TAYLOR, Dr. T. L. REEVES, HENRY TILL, THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, JOHN LAIDLER Sr., WATKINS LAIDLER, AUGUSTUS LAIDLER, LEWIS PEACOCK, JOHN PEACOCK or any twelve of them, one being a physician, appointed as commissioners to inspect the person of WILLIAM A. LOWE - - - and make a report of his state of mind to this court on first Monday in April next.

A rule nisi having been obtained at the September Term 1842 of this court calling upon DANIEL B. LOWE, executor of AARON LOWE, dec., alledging said executor is mismanaging the estate, has himself become insolvent and has failed to make his annual returns which rule has been continued until this court, and the said DANIEL B. LOWE has failed to comply with said rule nisi - - and it appearing that he has become insolvent, that the debts he has greatly accumulated in his hands, that the principal disbursements made have been debts created by himself as executor - - that property said testor is now living on in hands of said executor to be sold on first Tuesday in April next which might have been avoided by juducious management of said estate - - Court ordered that said rule nisi be made absolute and that DANIEL B. LOWE be dismissed from said executorship and his letters be revolked, annuled, and set aside.

CHARLES H. RICE having resigned his office as Clerk of Court was replaced by the election of BRYANT BALTON, Esq., for the unexpired term.

Page 101 - 1st Monday (3) Apr.1843: JAMES A. ROQUEMORE, administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on estate of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., was ordered to show cause at the May term why he should not give good security in lieu of JOHN TOMLINSON as security on his bond as said security is now considered insolvent.

CHARLES M. McCOY, the only son and nearest relative of CHARLES McCOY, dec., was appointed as administrator of said estate in lieu of GEORGE A. MINSHEW who also applied. Bond set at $1000 with CARLTON WELLBORN, WILLIAM R. BROWN, JOHN V. BROWN, and CHARLES H. RICE as security. DENNIS McLANDON, JACOB VASON, STEPHEN CASTELOW, HENRY BARTON, and JOHN STORY appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 102 - 1 May 1843: THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, with E. A. ROBINSON as his security, having fully carried out his responsibility as guardian for HENRY SHEPPARD and MARY SHEPPARD, minors of and orphans of HENRY SHEPPARD, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM A. BASKIN, HARVEY HARGROVE, ROBERT W. BASKIN, SAMPSON CULPEPPER, and JAMES J. SCARBOROUGH were appointed commissioners to divide the negroes, money, and lands belonging to the estate of ABRAM M. SCARBOROUGH, dec., between the widow and the two children.

JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., while in life made application to this court to be relieved from all further and future liability of his security on the bond of JOSEPH A. CARR as guardian for orphans of ELIAS FORDHAM, dec. Court ordered that JOHN TOMLINSON representation be relieved and discharged from all further liability incurred on said securityship.

ELIJAH H. WARREN appointed guardian of NANCY D. WARREN and KITRELL WARREN, minors of KITRELL WARREN, dec. Bond set at $4000 with ELI WARREN as security.

HIRAM D. GOYEN, administrator of estate of WILLIAM LUPO, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM McKENZIE appointed administrator of WILLIAM M. POWELL, dec. Bond set at $2000 with GEORGE M. DUNCAN as securty.

ORREN C. HORNE appointed administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on estate of AARON LOWE, dec. Bond set at $20,000 with JOAB W. C. HORNE and JAMES C. HORNE as security. DANIEL B. LOWE late executor of AARON LOWE, dec., was ordered to turn over to ORREN C. HORNE all the papers or other evidence of debts, goods, chattle rights, etc belonging to said estate.

The last Will and testament of SARAH GOMER having been propounded by MILES HAROLD, executor in vacation on 23 Jan.1843, was proven on oath of ALEXANDER EVERETT, one of the witnesses and was admitted to record.

HUGH L. DENNARD guardian for orphans of ALEXANDER DENNARD, dec., late of Baker County, had on hand $500 of bills of the Bank of the Ocmulgee belonging to his ward at the time of failure thereof. Further said $500 was sold for $125 making a total loss of $375. Court ordered that said loss be divided to wit: Two fifths be sustained by said guardian and the residue charged to said ward.

ALEXANDER SMITH, ELIJAH BUTTS, and A. T. CALHOUN accepted as security to replace JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., on bond of JAMES A. ROQUEMORE, administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on estate of WILLIAM H. DUPREE.

MILES HARRELL, administrator of estate of WILLIAM HARRELL, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

Court ordered that all defaulting executors, administrators, and guardians be served a rule nisi or citation to show cause why their respective trusts should not be annuled, revoked and set aside.

The petition of JAMES A. SPIVEY, an infant under age 21 complained by AVNER BURNAM his next friend, that the last Will and testament of his father LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., left JOHN W. COWART of Sumter County as executor and as testamentary guardian of the petitioner until he reaches age 21 which will not occur until the 25th day of November, 1845, that said JOHN W. COWART is insolvent and has been guilty of maladministration and petitioner believes he has $4000 or upwards of his ward and some of the wards land is to be sold this day. Further he prays that said JOHN W. COWART may be brought to a strict account and compelled to give bond and security for faithful execution of his trust or dismissed from his guardianship and said petitioner be allowed to chose his own guardian. Signed by WARREN & SCARBOROUGH, Petitioners Attorneys. Court then ordered JOHN W. COWART to appear at this court on the 1st Monday in July next to give an accounting and show cause why his letters should not be revolked, and said ward allowed to chose his own guardian.

Page 106 - 3 Jul.1843: HUGH LAWSON, administrator of estate of ROBERT HOLTON, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

T. L. PHILLEO, administrator of estate of THOMAS JARMIN, dec., having full administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

ISAAC W. WEST appointed administrator of testate of JOHN WEST, dec. Bond set at $3000 with THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and WILLIAM SUMERFORD as security. WILLIAM BROWN, EDMUND P. FLOYD, HENRY SUMERFORD, JAMES TAYLOR, ALLEN BRIGES, appointed appraisers for said estate.

The court took up the petition of JAMES A. SPIVEY, an infant under age 21 which was filed at the 3 May 1843 term of court and the rule nisi ordered at that time (repetitious details were repeated here of the charges and orders against JOHN W. COWART as guardian of said infant). The rule nisi was served on JOHN W. COWART on 19 May 1843 and he having failed to appear to answer and therefor in contempt, the rule nisi was made absolute and his letters of guardianship were revolked. JAMES A. SPIVEY then chose AVNER BURNAM as his guardian and court approved. Bond was set at $15000 with ELIJAH BURNAM and WILLIAM HADDOCK as security.

It appearing to the court that JOHN W. COWART, executor of the last Will and testament of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., having been served with a rule nisi to show cause why his executorship should not be revolked and he having failed to appear in this court -- Court ordered he be discharged from said executorship and his letters revolked.

It appearing to the court that a citation has been published that ELIJAH BUTTS would apply for administration on the estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., and that his wife is a daughter of the deceased. Further that TABITHA TOMLINSON, widow of the deceased

and JOHN B. HODGES and his wife, and JAMES B. McMURRAY and his wife, daughters of said deceased and also the creditors desiring appointment of said ELIJAH BUTTS to be administrator to the exclusion of JARED TOMLINSON, the caveator - - court approved ELIJAH BUTTS as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $30,000 with JOHN B. HODGES, MEREDITH JOINER, JAMES A. ROQUEMORE as security. Court further ordered that JARED TOMLINSON, the caveator upon giving like bond may be joined in said administration.

THOMAS POLLOCK, JAMES A. ROQUEMORE, SIMON DUPREE, JOSIAH HANCOCK, and WILLIAM HADDOCK appointed appraisers of estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec.

GEORGE W. RAY, administrator of the estate of JOSHUA TAYLOR, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of the deceased.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, administrator of the estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., allowed to keep togeather all the property of the deceased necessary for farming for the present year for benefit of all having an interest. Further he was granted leave to sell all or a portion of the cattle at his discretion.

JOHN C. MOUNGER, one of the securities of JOHN A. ALLMAN on his bond dated 18 Jan.1836 as guardian for the person and property of MARY ANN E. and MARTHA J. O'NEAL minor orphans of WILLIAM F. O'NEAL deceased, having petitioned the court for discharge and JOHN A. ALLMAN having filed a new bond 9 Sep.1842 with JOHN M. JACKSON and WILLIAM HERINGTON as security. Court approved release of JOHN C. MOUNGER as security.

(NOTE: At this point the Clerk recorded the following accounts which normally were the type of records found in the Annual Return Books.)

THOMAS T. RODGERS and JAMES J. RODGERS orphans of HENRY ROGERS, dec. To CHRISTOPHER R. SPEIGHT their guardian:

To board of THOMAS T. for three years at $3.00 per month.	$108.00
3 months schooling in 1836.	3.50
10 months schooling in 1837.	11.66
3 months schooling in 1838.	3.50
To board of JAMES J. for six years at $3.00 per month.	216.00
	342.66

Ordered that above accounts be allowed.

The estate of JOHN T. McGEHEE. To EDMUND J. McGEHEE.

1839 200 bushells of corn, bot of J. R. REDDING at 75 ct.	150.00
1 Bay Horse, bot of EDWARD G. BROWN	75.00
3500 lbs Fodder, bot of J. M. CHASTAIN at 150 p hundred	52.00
Cash pd Mr. FELDER for corn.	20.00
Cash pd GEORGE S. HASLIN for hogs.	25.00
Cash pd for Blacksmith bill.	23.00
Cash pd D. M. BROWN for sow.	3.25
Cash pd for prosecuting MERADY (or M. CRADY ?) for his murder.	300.00
	644.25

Georgia, Houston County: Before me came EDMUND J. McGEHEE who being sworn says the above account is just as stated. /s/ EDMUND J. McGEHEE. Sworn to 3 Jul. 1843 before S. C. BRYAN, JP. Court ordered that the above accounts be allowed.

ARTHUR A. MORGAN appointed administrator de bonis non on estate of WILLIAM C. RUDD, dec. Bond set at $8000 upon giving good security.

Page 110 - 24 Jul.1843: JOHN D. WINN, administrator of estate of FRANCES ALLEN, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and negroes of said estate.

JOHN LEPTROT appointed administrator of estate of COMELIA TALTON, dec., late wife of HENRY H. TALTON, dec. Bond set at $8000 with letters issued in vacation.

Page 110 - 26 Jul.1843: Some 4 or 5 years ago LEWIS PEACOCK and JOHN PEACOCK were appointed security on the bond of WILLIAM HOLLOMAN as guardian of THOMAS MELVIN, a minor, in place of THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS and BURRELL WHITTLE as former securities, and said LEWIS PEACOCK taking from said HOLLOMAN a deed to a valuable lot of land to indensify and save him harmless as such security, and the said bond of said HOLLOMAN as guardian of said LEWIS PEACOCK as security not being recorded - - court ordered the bond recorded if it can be found or a copy thereof at the expense of said former securities if they think proper to incure it.

Mrs. ELIZABETH CULLER administratorix of JOHN J. CULLER, dec., having intermarried with GEORGE F. RILEY and by reason thereof her letters of administration have abated. Court appointed said GEORGE F. RILEY as administrator in right of his wife on the estate of said deceased. Bond set at $10,000 with JOHN GOLDSON and P.B.D.H. CULLER as security.

GEORGE F. RILEY, administrator of the estate of JOHN J. CULLER, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

JACOB W. PIERCE, administrator of JOHN PIERCE, dec., granted leave to sell land lot #230 in 10th District as a part of said estate.

Page 111 - 2 Aug.1843: It appearing to the court that the condition of the estate of the late JOHNATHAN FULWOOD, dec., and his widow MARY ANN, who has also deceased this life, that there is no necessity of granting administration on either estate because both may be settled without littigation or contintion and same protection may be afforded rights of the orphans at less expense by granting guardianship for them. Court appointed JOHN FULWOOD as guardian of person and property of WILLIAM, DANIEL A., LUENTIA EMILINE, JOHN WESLEY, and MARY ANN E. FULWOOD minors and orphans under age 14 of said JOHNATHAN FULWOOD, dec. Bond set at $2000 with WILLIAM COUSINS as security. Further said JOHN FULWOOD was granted leave to sell such portions of the personal estate as he desires and for the year 1844 he may rent the plantation and negroes of said minors. ENOS YOUNG, ANTHONY M. THOMPSON, AMOS TURNER, DANIEL GAWSEY, and THOMAS ALLEN appointed to appraise and return both estates jointly.

Page 112 - 1 Sep.1843: Court empowered the Clerk to issue executions for any fees due him as such clerk of the court.

AVNER BURNAM appointed administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on the estate of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec. Bond set at $60,000 in vacation.

WILLIAM HOLLOMAN, guardian of THOMAS MELTTEVIN (MELVIN in earlier entries), having fully settled all money and effects due was granted letters of dismission.

The rule passed at March Term 1842 requiring D. B. LOW, administrator of N. McGRAW, to show cause why he should not be dismissed and afterwards enlarged for LERVIS and which has not been served is hereby enlarged and continue until the next regular term of court in November next.

The rule nisi against IRA E. DUPREE, executor on estate of JEREMIAH DUPREE, dec., was ratified to stand good at the November term of court.

SAMUEL FELDER, DANIEL FREDERICK, HENRY MASHBURN and HAY THOMPSON granted letters of dismission. (Note: This entry not further explained.)

It being represented to the court that ARZA MURRAY and JAMES MURRAY, administrators on the estate of ANDERSON BARKER, dec., having mismanaged the estate by not paying debts for which there were ample resources, the estate was sold to the father of the administrators for $50 when the same land had previously rented for $70 per year, etc. The court ordered each to be served with a copy of the charges and appear at next term of court to answer why their administration should not be set aside and revolked.

Page 114 - 20 Sep.1843: EDWARD ENGRAM, executor of the last Will and testament of ARTHUR TULL, dec., in letter to the Court stated that due to his long illiness he was physically unable to complete said administration. Court complied and revolked his letters. It further appearing to the Court that JOHN PERDEW who had intermarried with the widow of said deceased had applied for letters of administration de bonis non on said estate with the Will annexed and that the next of kin of said deceased desired his appointment. Court complied and appointed said JOHN PERDEW as administrator de bonis non. Bond set at $2000 with TURNER SMITH and DAVID O. SMITH as security. RICHARD SMITH, JOEL LOFTIN, BRYANT DAUGHTRY, TURNER SMITH, and ALFRED NELSON appointed to appraise the estate of said deceased.

Page 115 - 2 Oct.1843: THOMAS CONE appointed administrator of estate of ABEL CONE, dec. Bond set at $1600 with JOHN H. TAYLOR as security. DREWRY TAYLOR, JOB SMITH, PETER DANIEL, JOHN H. TAYLOR, and HUGH LAWSON appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 115 - 6 Nov.1843: WILLIAM McKENZIE, administrator of estate of WILLIAM M. POWELL, dec., granted leave to sell lot of land #132, 14th Dist., on complying with the law in such cases.

JOHN PERDEW, administrator of estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., authorized to sell all the personal estate of said deceased on giving notice as required by law.

Court authorized and empowered CREED T. WOODSON, HENRY CONYERS, THOMAS POLLOCK, JAMES B. McMURRAY, and DANIEL SMITH to divide and assign to the orphans of ALEXANDER DANIEL, dec the negroes belonging to them as said orphans and further ordered that said appraisers return their proceedings therein to HUGH L. DENNARD, guardian.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, guardian for orphans of JAMES PERRY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said orphans.

SELVANUS S. BRYAN having obtained temporary administration on the estate of THOMAS WOODARD, dec., was granted leave to sell on ten days notice, the horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, corn and fodder of said estate to avoid the wasting of perishable property. THOMAS (name omitted), HENRY CONYERS, HUGH L. DENNARD, MORRIS POLLOCK, and ISAAC WOODARD, were appointed to appraise said estate.

PHILIP B.D.H. CULLEN appointed guardian of JACOB P. H. CULLEN, REBECCA A. CULLEN, and DANIEL H. CULLEN children of JOHN J. CULLEN, dec., on giving bond and security.

Court ordered a citation to be published why JOHN KILLEN, executor of estate of JOSEPH CUTTS, dec., having full filled his administration should not be dismissed.

A citation having been published that ARTHUR A. MORGAN and MORTON A. BURCH would apply for administration on the estate of WILLIAM H. RUDD, dec., and they neglecting to do so and whereas EDWIN MOUNGER has applied for same - - court ordered said EDWIN MOUNGER be appointed as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $8000 with CHARLES H. RICE and SEABORN C. BRYAN as security. JOHN J. FORSYTH, JOHN KILLEN, JAMES M. KELLY, JOEL W. MANN, THOMAS B. ALDREDEG (ALDRIDGE on later records) appointed to appraise said estate.

It appearing to the court that administration on the estate of CHARLES McCOY, dec., was through mistake granted to CHARLES M. McCOY before a citation had been published 30 days and an appeal having been taken and the case carried into the last term of Superior Court where it was annuled and set aside for irregularity. Court then proceeded to appoint CHARLES M. McCOY as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $2000 with CARLTON WELLBORN as security

It appearing to the court that AVNER BURNAM administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., that a portion of the estate which appears upon the appraisment was disposed of by the executor of said will and is not now of said estate. Court appointed JOAB W. C. HORNE, NATHAN G. LEWIS, WILLIAM McKENZIE, R. N. WESTBROOK, and SAMUEL FELDER to appraise said estate.

The last Will and testatment of THOMAS WOODARD, dec., having been proven was ordered to be recorded.

A copy of rule nisi having been served on DANIEL B. LOWE and no objections shown, he was dismissed as administrator of estate of NATHAN McGRAW, dec. Court then appointed RALEIGH HIGHTOWER as administrator de bonis non on said estate. Bond set at $3000 in vacation.

Page 118 - 20 Dec.1843: JOHN L. MURRAY, executor, and MILLY SUGGS, executrix of estate of LEWIS SUGGS, dec., granted leave to sell a certain roan horse of said estate.

Page 118 - 1 Jan.1844: JOHN M. CHASTAIN, GILES MONZINGO, SILAS RAWLS, JAMES E. DUNCAN, and JOHN KILLEN appointed to appraise the estate of EDWARD ENGRAM, dec., as shall be produced to them by CHARLES WEST.

Page 118 - 8 Jan.1844: NATHAN G. LEWIS, WILLIAM LEWIS, DANIEL LOFLEY, VINCENT CALHOUN, and WILLIAM WEST appointed to appraise the estate of JOHN McKENZIE JR, dec.

ISAAC W. WEST administrator on estate of JOHN WEST, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and personal property of said deceased.

ADAM E. ALLEN appointed guardian of person and property of EUGENIA F. COLZEY. Bond set at $4000 with JOHN D. WINN as security.

ELIJAH BUTTS administrator of estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., granted leave to sell real estate and negroes of said estate.

TURNER SMITH and SARAH SMITH, executor and executorix of the last Will and testament of THOMAS SMITH, dec., having full filled there administration applied for letters of dismission to be granted on publication of a citation.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, administrator of estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., granted leave to keep togeather the slaves and other personal property and to work and cultivate the plantation for 1844 of said deceased.

JOSEPH HARPER, JACOB N. GOFF, FREDERICK WARREN, SIMON NORRIS, and JOHN WOOTEN appointed appraisers of estate of JEREMIAH W. WILLIAMS, dec.

EZEKIEL ADAMS, administrator of JOHN McKENZIE JR, dec., granted leave to rent out the land of said deceased for present year.

JOSEPH N. CARR appointed guardian of person and property of JOHN H. CARR a minor and orphan over age 14 of HUGH CARR, dec. Bond set at $400 with LAWRENCE SAULS as security.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., represented to the court that the widow and relic of said deceased in the year 1840 intermarried with JOSEPH VINSON and about two years since the said JOSEPH absconded his said wife and has not since returned and she is now in a very desitute condition from not receiving her maintenance and support and said administrator having funds in his hands belonging to said VINSON. Court ordered the administrator to pay, out of money due VINSON, an amount he deems reasonable for her subsistance and support.

The order appointing ALLEN ALBRITTON as guardian of certain minors incorrectly inserted the name of MARTHA H. ALBRITTON and was ordered corrected to show McALLEN ALBRITTON.

Court ordered that a citation be published that THOMAS A. H. SLEDGE administrator de bonis non on estate of HARRIS ALLEN dec., had fully administered said estate and anyone should show cause why he should not be dismissed.

SILVANUS S. BRYAN appointed administrator with Will annexed on estate of THOMAS WOODARD, dec. Bond set at $3000 with SEABORN C. BRYAN as security.

OREN C. HORNE, administrator de bonis non on estate of AARON LOWE, dec., authorized to sell the land of said estate to settle debts and make equal distribution among the distributees.

EDWIN MOUNGER, CHARLES H. RICE, THOMAS WILLIAMS, JOEL W. MANN, and JOHN J. FORSYTH appointed to appraise the estate not already administered of WILLIAM H. RUDD, dec.

Court revolked the letters of administration and delivered up the bond on E. MOUNGER who having here-to-fore filed bond and taken oath with letters of administration on estate of WILLIAM H. RUDD, dec. Said E. MOUNGER having taken no action on said estate and being desirious to deliver up said letters. Court then granted letters of administration on said estate to MARTIN N. BURCH. Bond set at $15,000 with DANIEL GUN as security.

JOHN S. WILLIAMS appointed administrator of estate of JERAMIAH W. WILLIAMS. Bond set at $6000 with JESSE DUPREE, WILLIAM B. DUPREE, WILLIAM R. HARRIS, ALIJAH MALLOWN, FRANCES M. WILLIAMS, and P. H. GWINN (Assignment not stated but probably appraisers).

SAMUEL FELDER, DAVID M. BROWN, SILAS RAWLS, JOHN KILLEN and CHRISTIAN J. STALEY appointed to divide the estate of JOHN J. CULLER, dec.

EZEKIEL H. ADAMS appointed administrator on estate of JOHN McKENZIE, JR. Bond set at $4,000 with JOEL HARREL and GRAY HARREL as security.

The Will of EDWARD ENGRAM, dec., was proven in vacation upon oath of JAMES HOLDERNESS and SETH BARNS, two of the subscribing witnesses, and ordered recorded. CHARLES WEST, the executor was administered the oath of his office.

DANIEL FREDERICK administrator of estate of WILLIAM C. WARNERMAKER, dec., HEZEKIEL THOMPSON guardian of MARY E. THOMPSON, and SAMUEL FELDER administrator of estate of HENRY FELKELL, dec., were dismissed from their respective liabilities.

JOHN PERDEW as administrator on estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., was ordered to appear at next term of court and show cause why DAVID O. SMITH and TURNER SMITH as securities on his bond, and they being dissatisfied, should not be relieved and a new bond with good security given.

WILLIAM HERINGTON having been appointed guardian of the person and property of JOHN H. DANFORTH by the Inferior Court of Bib(b) County was granted permission to make his returns in Houston County on giving bond of $2,000 with CARLTON WELLBORN and JOHN HERINGTON as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians, not yet making returns for 1843 granted until next term of court to do so.

JOHN PERDEW, administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., granted leave to keep the estate togeather for support of the minor children as was the intention of the deceased.

The Will of JOHN TODD was proven upon oath of MATHEW FREEMAN and JOHN D. WALKER and was ordered recorded.

JOHN P. HAMBRICK and THOMAS POLLOCK named as executors in the Will of JOHN TODD, dec refused to qualify. The Court then appointed JOEL WALKER as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $3,600 with JAMES A. ROQUEMORE as security. MATHEW FREEMAN, ZENOS CLARK, THOMAS POLLOCK, ABRAM SASSER, and JAMES McKENIE appointed to appraise said estate.

RUBIN M. HARGROVE, executor of the last Will and testament of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec, granted leave to sell some of land of said estate to wit part of lot #116 & 117, 10th Dist., and the following negroes: Peter about 55, his wife Hannah about 55, and their son Simon about 24. This action having been provided in the Will if necessary to satisfy debts.

Page 123 - 4 Mar.1844: JOHN KILLEN, administrator de bonis non on estate of JOSEPH CUTTS, dec., with the Will annexed, having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

ELIJAH BUTTS, administrator of estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., granted leave to make his return at the May Term.

The last Will and testament of JAMES HEARD, dec., was admitted to record. NANCY HEARD was qualified as executrix. THOMAS DAWKENS, ISAAC AULGER, MATHEW SYKES, THOMAS BUSH and JOSEPH THOMPSON appointed to appraise said estate.

ELIJAH WILLIAMS,administrator on estate of JAMES HOLT, dec., was allowed a credit of $90.50 for hire of two negros, Mareah and Caroline, for the year 1842 bid off by the widow of said deceased for the use of the family.

ALEXANDER SMITH, administrator of the estate of WILLIAM SMITH, dec., allowed till July Term to make his return.

RICHARD JOHNSON and WILLIAM SMITH appointed administrators on estate of NEAHAM SMITH, dec. Bond set at $16,000 with ELIJAH WILLIAMS and JAMES SMITH as security.

JOHN PERDEW, administrator on estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., who was ordered by last term of court to appear at this term to show cause why DAVID O. SMITH and TURNER SMITH should not be released as his security and he give new bond with good sec. JOHN PERDEW having not complied with said order was dismissed from said administration and his securities released from further liabilities.

Page 125 - 6 May 1844: ASA THOMPSON appointed administrator on estate of JAMES THOMPSON, dec. Bond set at $20,000 in vacation. SAMUEL WEBB, SILAS RAWLS, JACOB RILEY, JAMES E. BARRETT, and GILES MONZENGO appointed to appraise said estate.

CHARLES H. RICE was appointed administrator on the estate of SIMON BATEMAN, dec., who departed this life insolvent. Bond set at $1000 with SEABORN C. BRYAN and JAMES M. KELLY as security.

GEORGE B. McCOLLUM, guardian of WILLIAM BARROW's orphans, granted leave to sell lot of land #187, 14th Dist., and 1st Sec. of originally Cherokee County, 120 acres of lot #223, 12th Dist of originally Houston now Pulaski County, and lot #155 in same district and county last mentioned.

SAMUEL G. BASKIN, administrator of estate of JAMES BEATTY, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

HUGH ALLEN, guardian of orphans of THOMAS BELL, dec., granted leave to sell lot of land #156, 13th Dist of originally Lee now Sumter County and #24, 1st Dist of originally Troup now Meriwether County, and all slaves belonging to said minor orphans.

All defaulting executors, administrators, guardians ordered to appear at July Term to show cause why they are in default.

LEARY STANLY, administrator of estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., granted till July Term to make his annual return.

Page 126 - 1 Jul.1844: It appearing to the court that EMALY FIFE former guardian of SARAH and AMELIA SCARBOROUGH was granted leave to sell 2/3rd of land lot #209, 10th Dist and was not accomplished, the present guardian WILLIAM S. MOORE was granted leave to sell said land.

The last Will and testament of JAMES CLARK, dec., having been proven was admitted to record. ISAAC HOLMES, GREEN WALDEN, MANIN COX, ROBERT B. ENGRAM, DANIEL BROOCE(BRUCE) were appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES VINSON, WILLIAM AVERY, JOSHUA VINSON, BENJAMIN VINSON, and WILLIAM BATEMAN appointed appraisers for estate of BENJAMIN F. CULPEPPER, dec.

NATHAN G. LEWIS appointed guardian of person and property of MARY JANE, SARAH, JAMES R. and ROBERT W. LEWIS, minors of BENJAMIN LEWIS, dec. Bond set at $3,000 with MARTHA LEWIS, ROBERT JONES and BENJAMIN F. LEWIS as security.

WILLIAM S.MOORE appointed guardian of person and property of ANN AMELIA and SARAH M. SCARBOROUGH. Bond set at $2,000 with RUBEN M. HARGROVE as security.

JANE G. CULPEPPER appointed administratrix of estate of her minor son BENJAMIN F. CULPEPPER, dec. Bond set at $6,000 with JAMES VINSON, JOSIAH VINSON, and BENJAMIN VINSON as security.

NATHAN G. LEWIS having fully administered the estate of BENJAMIN LEWIS, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

ASA E. THOMPSON having been appointed administrator on estate of JAMES THOMPSON, dec., was authorized to keep togeather all hands, horses, mules, farming utensils and other things necessary for making and gathering the crops and not to sell the personal property until that time.

The last Will and testament of WILLIAM F. JENKINS, dec., was proven and ordered to be recorded. RICHARD MEADOWS and MARGARETT JENKINS were qualified as executor and executrix. JOHN KILLEN, DAVID O. SMITH, ASA ROYALS, JOHN MURRAY and HENRY L. ENGRAM were appointed to appraise said estate.

SILVANUS S. BRYAN administrator with Will annexed of THOMAS WOODARD, dec., granted leave to sell three negroes and 50 acres to make a division among the legatees.

Page 129 - 18 Sep.1844: NANCY MUSSLEWHITE appointed guardian of person and property of WILLIAM G., JAMES, HARIET R., and MARSHAL E. MUSSLEWHITE, minors and orphans of WILLIAM MUSSLEWHITE, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with DANIEL J. GISSENDANNER(?) and OREN C. HORNE as security.

OREN C. HORNE, guardian of ALPHEUS M., ELISH B., JOHN W., and PERMELIA E. HORNE, authorized to sell the negroes of his wards for purpose of distribution.

OREN C. HORNE appointed guardian of AARON AUGUSTUS LOWE. Bond set at $4,000 with JOAB W. C. HORNE, D. M. BROWN, and JAMES C. HORNE as securities.

WILEY LANE appointed guardian of person and property of JAMES, WILLIAM, ELIZA ANN, MARY, and JESSE WALL, orphans of JESSE WALL, dec., and grandchildren of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $800 with BRYAN LANE as security.

JAMES A. BRYAN, LEARY STANLY, ISAAC HOLMES, appointed to distribute between BRYAN LANE, WILEY LANE, LEARY C. MANNING sons-in-law of JAMES CLARK, dec., and WILEY LANE guardian of JAMES WALL, WILLIAM WALL, ELIZA ANN WALL, MARY WALL, and JESSE WALL, orphan children of JESSE WALL, dec., the negroes left in the Will of said JAMES CLARK, dec., to said son-in-law's and said grandchildren.

NATHAN H. BEAL appointed guardian of JULIET R. BEAL, minor and authorized to hire out the negroes of said minor. Bond set at $15,000 with ABNER P. POWERS, R. H. RAMSEY and ARCHIBALD MAGRUDER as security.

STEPHEN R. HAM, administrator of estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

ALEXANDER MELROSE and ARMAND LEFILS appointed administrators of estate of JOHN W. McCABB (McCRAB in later entry). Bond set at $600 in vacation.

Court ordered that MANNING SHIVER and ENOCH SHIVER, executors of last Will and testament of FLEMMING SHIVER, dec., who qualified on 6 May 1833 and 4 Nov.1833 respectively, to appear at next court to answer charges why they should not be dismissed from said executorship for reason of mismanagement. Specificaly the deceased possessed two slaves, horses, hogs, other personal estate, and one tract or lot of land which said executors did not return same, except for an appraisement of one rifle gun, one man's saddle, one two year old steer and thirty one head of stock cattle.

Page 132 - 6 Nov.1844: WILLIAM O. BASKIN, executor of estate of JOHN M. SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

CHARLES M. McCOY, administrator of CHARLES McCOY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

JOSEPH TILMAN appointed guardian of HENRY TILMAN, ROBERT T., MERIOUS, and RICHARD TILLMAN, minor children of JOSEPH. Bond set at $600 with WILLIAM TILLMAN as security.

ANTHONY M. THOMPSON appointed guardian of person and property of AUGUSTUS and WILLIAM P. THOMPSON orphans of and minor children of JERAMIAH M. THOMPSON, dec. Bond set at $800 with THOMAS ALLEN as security.

ASA THOMPSON, administrator of estate of JAMES THOMPSON, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

The minor children of JOSEPH TILLMAN having arrived at 14 years of age chose their father as guardian and JAMES E. DUNCAN the former guardian was dismissed. Bond set at $2,000 with WILLIAM TILLMAN as security.

ENOCH SHIVER and MANNING SHIVER orphans of FLEMING SHIVER, dec., chose JOHN A. DANIEL their brother-in-law to be their guardian (NOTE: Elsewhere in this entry the clerk wrote the names as ENOCH and JANE). Bond set at $1,600 with PETER DANIEL and JOSEPH CALHOUN as security.

JOHN A. DANIEL, administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of FLEMING SHIVER, dec., granted leave to sell all perishable property of said estate. The widow of said deceased having departed this life. Three legatees being of lawful age and in court and desirious of same and said administrator also being guardian of the two minor legatees being desirous of same. Said administrator was also authorized to sell the land of said estate after advertising such until the 1st Tuesday in January next. HUGH LAWSON, DRURY W.

TAYLOR, DEMPSY BROWN, STEPHEN BROWN, and CURTIS LEARRY appointed commissioners to divide the negroes among the legatees.

A rule nisi having been served on ENOCH SHIVER and MANING SHIVER as executors of FLEMING SHIVER, dec., to show cause why they should not be relieved for mismanagement (see last entry - 18 Sep.1844 term of court for details repeated here) and MANING SHIVER having appeared in court and stating his desire to have his letters revolked, court then complied and appointed JOHN A. DANIEL as administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on said estate. Bond set at $4,000 with JOSEPH CALHOUN and PETER DANIEL as security.

Page 135 - 6 Jan.1845: BRYANT BATTON was duly elected as clerk of the court.

Page 136 - 13 Jan.1845: ISHAM C. BROWN guardian of MARY ELIZABETH, SARAH, MELVINA J., and ALLEN W. BROWN give a new bond with BAZZEL BELL as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians who have not made annual returns for 1844 granted until next term of court to do so.

JOHN A. DANIEL appointed administrator of estate of ELIZABETH SHIVER, dec. Bond set at $2,000 with DREWRY W. TAYLOR as security.

MORTON N. BURCH, administrator on estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., ordered to pay to the widow of now Mrs. VINSON a reasonable amount for her support.

DAVID GRAHAM and CHARLES C. BEALL, executors of SHADRICK DENNARD, dec., having fully administered the estate of said deceased were granted letters of dismission.

JOHN S. WILLIAMS, administrator of estate of JERAMIAH WILLIAMS made known to the court that debts of said deceased cannot be paid without further sale of the property. Court granted authority to sell March a negro of said estate.

JOHN FULWOOD, guardian of WILLIAM, DANIEL, LUCRETIA, EMALINE, JOHN W., and MARY ANN E. orphan children of JOHNATHAN FULWOOD, dec., was allowed the sum of $87 for year 1844 from said estate for care of said children within his own family.

A citation having been published in the Georgia Telegraph for space of six months for anyone to show cause why JOSEPH N. CARR administrator de bonis non of ELIAS FORDHAM should not be discharged and no objections filed, said administrator was granted letters of dismission.

JAMES PRATT, administrator on estate of THOMAS DUFFEL, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

THOMAS BUSH, guardian of WILLIAM A., SIMEON, ELIZABETH, MARTHA ANN, and SARAH ANN BUSH, represented to the court that his bond with DREWRY CLARK as security had been lost or misplaced. He was ordered to give new bond of $3,000 with CHAPELL B. SELF as security.

RICHARD DOZIER appointed administrator on estate of JAMES FINDLY, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with STEPHEN R. HAM and SIMON HARRIS as security. C. WELLBORN, S. FOREHAND, D. ADAMS, N. SMITH, J. HODGES appointed to appraised said estate.

Page 138 - 27 Jan.1845: BRYANT BATTON was elected Clerk of Court for the ensuing two years.

Page 138 - 3 Mar.1845: WILLIAM HADDOCK, executor of CATHERINE BEATTY, dec., allowed till next term of make his annual return.

JAMES G. BASKIN, guardian of CATHERINE and ELIZABETH BEATTY granted leave to hire out the negroes of said minors.

MILES C. JORDAN, AUGUSTUS ANN JORDAN and RUSSEL B. JORDAN, minor and orphans of ELIAS JORDAN, dec., being of age to choose, made choice of THOMAS T. JOHNSON as their guardian. Court complied and set bond at $3,000 with JAMES M. KELLY as security.

SILAS RAWLS, guardian of JACKSON MARTIN orphan of JAMES MARTIN, dec., allowed till next term to make his return.

JOEL WALKER, administrator on the estate of JOHN TODD, dec., EZEKIEL ADAMS, administrator on the estate of JOHN McKENZIE, dec., JOHN S. WILLIAMS, administrator on the estate of JERMIAH WILLIAMS, dec., and JOHN KILLEN, executor on the estate of JAMES KILLEN, dec., were allowed till next term to make their returs.

The Clerk was instructed to correct letters of administration issued to JOHN LIPTROTT upon the estate of COMMELIA LIPTROTT to read instead COMELIA TALTON, dec.

JOSIAH DOLES executor on estate of THOMAS DOLES, dec., produced the Will which was proven by the oath of WILLIAM SEGO and JOHN M. JOHNS subscribing witnesses, and ordered to be recorded.

H. THOMPSON, JESSE D. HARRIS, DANIEL GUNN, STEPHEN BASSETT, and JOSEPH H. THOMPSON appointed to appraise the estate of THOMAS DOLES, dec.

JOSEPH DOLES, executive for estate of THOMAS DOLES, dec., authorized to transfer the business of said estate to Baldwin County where he resides.

JAMES P. HAMMOCK appointed guardian of person and property of ELIZABETH L. and MARY FRANCES TODD, minors of JOHN TODD, dec. Bond set at $600 with JOHN W. and RICHARD TODD as security.

ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK applied for letters of administration of estate of FURNEY F. IMBODEN, dec., which was duly published and then declined his right to administer in favor of URIAH SLAPPEY. Court appointed said URIAH SLAPPEY and set bond at $1,000 with JOHN E. DENNARD as security. JOHN J. HAMPTON, A. S. EDGEWORTH, A. D. KENDRICK, S. C. BRYAN, and JOHN E. DENNARD appointed to appraise said estate.

BENJAMIN BLOUNT and MARTHA ANN EASON applied for letters of administration on estate of CHARLES EASON, dec., which were duly published and then said MARTHA ANN declined to join in said administration. Court appointed BENJAMIN BLOUNT as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $4,000 with JOSEPH BLOUNT as security. DAVID O. SMITH, JAMES YOEMANS, WILLIAM THOMPSON, CHRISTIAN DAVIS and ANTHONY M. THOMPSON appointed to appraise said estate.

GEORGE B. McCOLLUM, guardian of JACKSON BARROW and NANCY CAROLINE BARROW orphans and minors of WILLIAM BARROW, dec., stated his desire to relinquish his guardianship in favor of WILLIAM S. COLSON who is willing to accept appointment. Court then appointed said WILLIAM S. COLSON as said guardian. Bond set at $8,000 on giving good security.

Court instructed the Clerk to issue a rule nisi or citation against all defaulting executors, administrators, and guardians to show cause why their respective trusts should not be revolked. It appearing to the court that such defaults are numerious and thereby leaving this court in ignorance as to true conditions of such estates and regarding rights of creditors and heirs at law and orphans.

Page 141 - 19 Mar.1845: The executors of last Will and testament of JAMES CLARK, dec., were ordered to sell the perishable property of said estate, rent out the land and hire out the negroes, as the wife of said JAMES CLARK, dec., having departed this life and it becoming necessary that family of said JAMES CLARK, dec., be broken up.

Page 141 - 5 May 1845: ELIJAH H. WARREN, guardian of KITRELL WARREN a minor, granted leave to sell part of land lots #271 and #274, 14th Dist., as property of said minor.

JAMES HOLMES, administrator, appeared in obediance to a rule nisi and having satisfactory answers was granted leave till next term to make his returns.

GEORGE B. McCOLLUM, guardian of WILLIAM BARROW's orphans, in his return for 1842 charged himself with the amount of notes due said wards and by his returns for 1843 he had returned the sum of $708.53 collected upon said notes. Court ordered he be allowed said sum in his returns as made through mistake.

ALEXANDER SMITH, administrator of estate of WILLIAM SMITH Jr., dec., have until November term to make his annual return.

JOEL WALKER, administrator of JOHN TODD, dec., authorized to make his annual return for 1844 anytime before next term of court.

HENRY J. ENGRAM appointed guardian of JAMES D. CLARK minor of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with ROBERT B. ENGRAM as security.

MARTHA MARSHALL, administratrix on estate of MATHEW MARSHALL, dec., authorized to keep possession of the farm and stock of said estate for three years after 1 Jan.1845 for purpose of maintaining the heirs of said deceased and providing that JAMES MARSHALL the heir now of age makes no objections.

JOHN TOOKE appointed administrator of estate of ELIZABETH TOOKE, dec. Bond set at $3,000 with CHARLES F. PATTILLO and DAVID TOOKE as security. DAVID HAMITER, JAMES POPE, JAMES MARCHMAN, JOHN CHILDERS, and GEORGE WILLIAMS appointed to appraise said estate.

MARTHA MARSHALL, administratrix on estate of MATHEW MARSHALL, dec., was exonerated of any liability regarding the proceeds of said estate for and during 1844.

Received of THOMAS T. JOHNSON, administrator of the estate of JAMES MARTIN, dec., $343 as distributive share of JACKSON MARTIN. 3 May 1845 /s/ SILAS RAWLS guardian.

Received of THOMAS T. JOHNSON, administrator of the estate of JAMES MARTIN, dec., $343 as distributive share of M. MARTIN, widow. 3 May 1845 /s/ SILAS RAWLS attorney.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON, administrator of the estate of JAMES MARTIN, dec., having paid

over to the two legatees $343 each for a balance of $686 left after paying all debts, was granted letters of dismission.

OBADIAH C. GIBSON applied for letters of administration de bonis non on estate of ROBERT W. FLOURNOY, dec. SARAH FLOURNOY, the widow and relic of said deceased through her attorneys KELLY & KILLEN caveat the said application saying that OBADIAH C. GIBSON is not of kin to the deceased nor creditor, that he did not not show that the estate was not fully administered by the late administrator and if anyone is to be appointed it should be herself.

Page 144 - 7 Jul.1845: DAVID H. RILEY and JOHN STALEY appointed administrators of estate of CHARLES H. STALEY, dec. A citation to this effect having been published with no objections filed.

The last Will and testament of JANE STALEY, dec., was proven upon oath of P.B.D.H. CULLER and HUGH A. McLAIN witnesses, and was admitted to record. DAVID H. RILEY and JOHN STALEY were given the executors oath. JAMES G. BASKIN, THOMAS B. ALDRIDGE, JOHN G. HARGROVE, HARDY HARGROVE, and WILLIAM O. BASKIN appointed to appraise said estate.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, administrator of estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., have leave to sell all real estate of said estate.

JOHN WOODARD appointed guardian of person and property of THOMAS WOODARD a minor and son of JOHN WOODARD, and of JESSE LEE and THOMAS LEE minor children of ELI LEE, all legatees of THOMAS WOODARD, dec. Bond set at $800 with SILVANUS S. BRYAN as security.

The last Will and testament of BRYAN BATEMAN, dec., was proven and admitted to record. Executors were qualified and JAMES W. HARDISON, WILLIAM AVRA, WILLIAM R. HARRIS, JAMES VINSON and SIMON HARRIS appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 145 - 1 Sep.1845: NATHAN BRYAN, guardian of ERASTUS J. BRYAN, reported his ward had intermarried with SERNA POTTS and should have land on which to reside being a farmer. He further said ward had entered into contract with ALLSA BODIE for purchase of land lot #18, 8th Dist., formerly Houston now Macon County, and said BODIE had issued a deed of conveyance and in fee simple for sum of $500. Court considering that the purchase was reasonable and fair directed said guardian to pay for the land and allow said ward the possession of a negro man named Jim and a boy named George provided nothing herein shall be construed as authority to sell said negroes.

OREN C. HORNE, administrator de bonis non now of AARON LOWE, dec., advertised and applied for distribution of negroes of said estate. Court appointed HAMILTON HARVEY, NATHAN G. LEWIS, JAMES M. EVERETT, VINCENT CALHOUN, and J. W. C. HORNE being free holders as commissioners to divide said estate.

DAVID COLLINS appointed administrator of estate of JACOB COLLINS, dec. Bond set at $3,000 with LEROY W. MOORE and THOMAS HUMPHRIES of Baldwin County as security. BENJAMIN T. BETHUNE, JOHN L. MOORE, JONATHAN T. MOORE, JELUS EDGE, and LEWIS BAGLEY of Baldwin County appointed to appraise the personal estate of said deceased being situtated in the County of Baldwin.

THOMAS BUSH, guardian of WILLIAM, SIMEON, ELIZABETH, MARTHA ANN, and SARAH ANN BUSH, authorized to sell four negroes to wit Hannah, Gincey, Harry, and Hard belonging to said minor to perfect a division.

ARMAND LEFLS and ALEXANDER MELROSE, administrators of JOHN W. McCRAB, dec., authorized to sell the land of said deceased.

GEORGE B. McCOLLUM, guardian of WILLIAM BARROW's orphans, in his return for 1842 charged himself with a note against SHEPARD GREEN and THOMAS BARBER and in his returns for 1843 charged himself again with principal and interest. Said note amounting to $936.34 and in 1843 return charged himself with $56.64 interest and in 1844 charged himself with $111.08 interest. He also charged himself with $88.58 rent of land when he should have charged himself $56.06. Court allowed corrections the total in all being $1,133.58.

The last Will and testament of JOSEPH HANCOCK, dec., was proven and ordered admitted to record. M. H. BUNN, JAMES B. McMURRAY, ISAAC WOODARD, LEWIS POLLOCK, and WILLIAM VINCENT appointed to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., in his last Will and testament made provisions that one fifth part of his estate at death of his wife should be left in hands of his executor to be managed for the benefit of his daughter SARAH ANN GREGORY and her children during the lifetime of IRA E. DUPREE as executor. The wife of the deceased has since departed this life and SARAH ANN GREGORY has since intermarried with JOSHUA B. OLIVER of Dooly County. The executor has since been removed and refuses to take upon himself the trust of said property and recommends the said JOSHUA B. OLIVER in his place. Court therefore appointed JOSHUA B. OLIVER as trustee of said property.

Page 147 - 3 Nov.1845: SEABORN C. BRYAN, administrator of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., requested court for a division of the negroes of said estate. Court appointed SILAS RAWLS, JACOB RILEY, GILES MONZINGO, GEORGE MONZINGO, and JAMES E. BARRETT as commissioners for this purpose.

JOHN C. STALEY and DAVID H. RILEY, executors of the last Will and testament of JANE STALEY, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate.

DAVID H. RILEY appointed guardian of person and property of CORNELIA J. E. STALEY. Bond set at $6,000. Said guardian was also granted leave to hire out privately the negroes of said estate.

AVNER BURNAM, administrator with Will annexed of LITTLETON SPIVEY, dec., stated to the court that said estate was in condition for distribution agreeable to said Will. Court appointed HENRY TILL, NATHAN G. LEWIS, HAMILTON HARVEY, J. P. SAMUEL FELDER, and WILLIAM S. CUTTS as commissioners for such purpose.

JOHN TOOK, administrator of ELIZA TOOK, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate.

E. A. ROBINSON, guardian of MARY and ELIZA SULLIVAN illegitament children of ELIZABETH SULLIVAN, having fully settled with his wards was granted letters of dismission.

DANIEL W. BUFF and EDWARD EUBANKS, executors of JAMES CLARK, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes belonging to said estate.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, administrator of estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., granted leave to sell the personal property, except negroes, of said estate.

JANE G. CULPEPPER, administratrix of estate of BENJAMIN F. D. CULPEPPER, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate.

E. H. ADAMS, administrator of JOHN McKENZIE, dec., having fully administered said estate and settled with MATILDA McKENZIE wife of said deceased (the only person interested) was granted letters of dismission.

BENJAMIN BLONT, administrator of estate of CHARLES J. EASON, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said deceased.

HARDY HARGROVE guardian of SARAH LIPTROTT by virtue of his guardianship had been charged with a note for $185.76 dated 3 Jan.1843 due 25 Dec.1843 and signed by SAMUEL T. GUERRY and THEODORE GUERRY payable to said HARDY HARGROVE as guardian. Such note now appearing insolvent the court allowed him credit in his settlement with his said ward.

JOHN WOODARD, guardian of THOMAS WOODARD Jr., and JESSE LEE and THOMAS LEE minors of ELI LEE, dec., having advertised in the Georgia Messenger, was granted leave to sell the north half of Lot #248 in original 10th now 11th Dist. of Houston County for benefit of first named minor and 50 acres of the south half of said lot and one half of 15 acres in the NE corner of Lot #247 in said district for benefit of last two named minors.

JACOB W. PIERCE administrator of last Will and testament of JOHN PIERCE, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

At the September 1842 term of court an order was passed authorizing GEORGE M. DUNCAN guardian of FELIX McNAIR and SOLOMON FUDGE guardian of FRANCES McNAIR orphans, to sell their real estate and such order through inadvertance or other cause was not recorded as required by law and the land having been sold by virtue of said order. Court ruled that this order be in lieu of the first order and held as though recorded at the time mentioned.

WILLIAM M. BATEMAN and SEABORN M. BATEMAN, executors of BRYAN BATEMAN, dec., advertised for four months to sell a part of the real estate and two negro men of said estate. The court was advised that the deceased while in life was a joint purchaser with WASHINGTON C. CLEVELAND of a settlement of land and mills situtated in the 6th Dist., of originally Houston now Crawford County being the land and mills known as Simmons Mills in Crawford County and was never paid for by said deceased. Further that said deceased had two negro men to wit Ben about age 22 and Job about 20, and the said land, mills, and negroes not having been mentioned or disposed of in the Will of said deceased. Court ordered that the land, mills, and negroes be sold to pay the debt and excess proceeds distributed among the next of kin.

Page 150 - 11 Jan.1846: DAVID COLLINS, administrator of JACOB COLLINS, dec., granted leave to sell all the land of said deceased.

DAVID COLLINS, administrator of JACOB COLLINS, dec., requested authorization to remove his administration from the jurisdiction of this court to Baldwin County. Court concurred at such time as a certificate could be obtained from the Clerk of the Ordinary Court in Baldwin County that bond had been given.

ORREN C. HORNE, guardian of AARON LOWE, authorized to hire out by private contract the negroes of his ward.

ROBERT B. ENGRAM appointed guardian of person and property of WILLIAM and FRANCES CLARK minor orphans of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $1,200.

ISHAM DANIEL appointed guardian of person and property of NARCISSY CLARK, minor and orphan of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $600.

ELIJAH BUTTS, administrator of the estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., was ordered to pay TABITHA TOMLINSON, widow of the deceased, the sum of $100 the ezuivalency of the years support allowed by law which was not set apart prior to the property being sold.

EDMUND J. McGEHEE, administrator of JOHN McGEHEE, dec., having full filled his administration was granted letters of dismission.

Page 151 - 28 Jan.1846: THOMAS T. JOHNSON, guardian of minors of ELIAS JORDAN, dec., granted leave to hire out privately, the negroes of said minors.

All executors, administrators, guardians who have not made their returns for 1845 granted until March term to do so.

The return of SILVANUS S. BRYAN, administrator of estate of THOMAS WOODARD, dec., was received.

CALVIN LEARY appointed guardian of person and property of EDWIN, WARREN, REBECCA, and NANCY SMITH minor children of THOMAS SMITH, dec. Bond set at $5,000.

IRWIN WALDEN appointed guardian of person and property of AUGUSTUS H. CLARK, a minor child of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $600.

HENRY HARREL appointed guardian of person and property of CAROLINE CLARK, a minor of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $600.

CALVIN LEARY, guardian of WARREN, REBECCA, EDWIN, and NANCY SMITH, minors of THOMAS SMITH, dec., authorized to hire out the property of said minors.

SARAH SMITH, executrix of THOMAS SMITH, dec., having intermarried with HENRY H. HAND Court ordered TURNER SMITH, executor of said Will, to deliver to the legatees their specific legacy.

HENRY J. ENGRAM, guardian of JAMES D. CLARK a minor, authorized leave to sell a mare and colt as property of said minor.

S. C. BRYAN, administrator of estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., granted leave to keep undivided the personal property of said estate and hire out the negroes.

JOHN PERDEW, administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed on estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., granted leave to keep said estate togeather for current year for benefit and support of the minor children.

RICHARD DOZIER, administrator of estate of JAMES FINDLY, dec., was accused of mismanagement by SIMON HARRIS and STEPHEN R. HAM as securities on his bond. Court ordered said administrator to appear at next term of court to show cause why his administration should not be revolked and not be compeled to give new bond and security.

NATHAN G. LEWIS, administrator of GREEN B. PINKSTON, dec., authorized to retain in his hands $20.50 the amount paid out in attending to estate business.

THOMAS KINSEY appointed guardian of _____ orphan child of _____dec., upon giving bond in sum of $1,800 with ALLEN SUTTON as security. (NOTE: The blank spaces were not filled in).

Page 154 - 2 Mar.1846: The last Will and testament of NATHAN MINSHEW, dec., was proven and admitted to record. REDDING R. MINSHEW was administered the oath as executor. JACOB FUDGE, DENNIS McLENDON, WILLIAM HARRINGTON, MILES SANDERS, and CHARLES R. BROWN appointed to appraise said estate.

LEARY STANLY, administrator of estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., paid over to EZEKIEL BRYAN guardian of minors of said deceased the sum of $100 two much and said EZEKIEL BRYAN refunded said amount. The court then ordered that EZEKIEL BRYAN be allowed the sum of $100 on his settlement with said minors.

It appeared to the court that LEARY STANLY, administrator of estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., had failed to make a return of a voucher that he paid to LUCEY BALDWIN, widow for the support of herself and the orphans of said deceased for the first year after the deceased death. The voucher having been misplaced by CHARLES H. RICE late Clerk of Court and since found and ordered entered and received as a part of the return

for 1842 made in 1843.

WILLIAM S. MOORE and MARGARETT P. CULPEPPER appointed administrator and administratrix de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec. Bond $14,000 with WILLIAM HADDOCK and SILVANUS S. BRYAN as security.

All administrators, executives, and guardian who have not made returns for 1845 have until next regular term to do so.

RICHARD JOHNSON and WILLIAM SMITH administrators of the estate of NEDHAM SMITH, dec., made their returns for 1844 and 1845 to this term of court. Having been in default and making full and ample and satisfactory returns up to first of present year, court allowed that they be entitled to their commissions as if no default occurred.

WILLIAM SUMMERFORD appointed administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec. Bond set at $40,000 in vacation. JOHN KILLEN, B. E. WHITEHEAD, JOEL W. MANN, ALFRED NELSON, and ARTHUR McCALLY appointed to appraise said estate.

THOMAS J. MOORE, ISAAC L. HILL, BARNARD D. WHITEHEAD, JOHN SMITH and RICHARD SMITH appointed commissioner to divide the land of the estate of ARTHUR TULL, dec., according to the provision of the 10th item in the Will of said deceased and to make their return to this court at next term.

Court approbated the actions of NATHAN BRYAN, guardian of ERASTUS BRYAN, in which he gave his ward two negroes to wit a man named Crawford and his wife Lindy in exchange for an old man named Jim and $750. Said guardian also purchased for his ward a horse at $80.

NATHAN BRYAN, guardian of AMELIAH H. BRYAN and POLLY BRYAN, having settled in full with said wards was granted letters of dismission.

DAVID TOOKE appointed guardian of person and property of JOSEPH TOOKE orphan child of ISHAM TOOKE, dec. Bond set at $500.

JOHN TOOKE appointed guardian of person and property of ALLEN TOOKE minor of ISHAM TOOKE, dec. Bond set at $500.

JOSEPH TOOKE, JOHN S. CHILDERS, HENRY HUDSON, WILLIAM S. COALSON, and ANDREW SMITH appointed commissioners to divide the estate of ELIZABETH TOOKE, dec., between heirs.

E. WILLIAMS, administrator of JAMES HOLT, dec., sold a mare for $50 and terms of sale not being complied with he resold the mare one month later for $30. Court ordered he be allowed a credit of $20 on his account of sale with interest from 1 Jan.1843.

RICHARD DOZIER, administrator of estate of JAMES FINDLY, dec., appeared in court in compliane with a rule nisi and failed to give satisfactory response to charges of mismanagement by SIMON HARRIS and STEPHEN R. HAM as securities on his bond. Court ordered that said securities be dismissed from further liabilities as security and ordered said administrator to give new bond and security by next term of court or the trust confided to him be revolked.

URIAH SLAPPY, administrator of F. F. IMBODEN, dec., having full filled his administration was granted letters of dismission.

Page 157 - 12 Mar.1846: The court again took up the issue of WILLIAM SUMMERFORD as administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., to sign bond in vacation with good security in amount of $40,000. The court reconsidered that to present letters of administration in obediance to the former order would prejudice the rights of many individuals having demands and who have commenced suit and having actions pending against the estate of said deceased. The court then ordered that WILLIAM SUMMERFORD do give bond of $40,000 with good security on or before the 20th day of this instant and on failure to do so another administrator will be appointed.

Page 157 - 30 Mar.1846: WILLIAM SUMMERFORD, applicant for administration de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., refused to give security required by law and the court ordered that final administration of said estate be vested in BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of Court. JAMES E. DUNCAN, JOHN M. CHASTAIN, JOSEPH M. COOPER, BERNARD D. WHITEHEAD, and THOMAS B. ALDRIDGE, Esq., were appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 158 - 4 May 1846: JOHN S. TAYLOR appointed administrator of ISAAC B. TAYLOR, dec. Bond set at $1,200 with MITCHEL H. TAYLOR and WILLIAM COLLINS as security. IRA T. HOBS, WILLIAM R. BROWN, WILLIAM BROWN, EDWARD T. McGEHEE, and DURHAM BOWEN appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES H. ROBINSON appointed administrator on estate of ADAM POTTER, dec. Bond set at $4,000 with ALEXANDER SMITH as security. DAVIS HARRIS, HENRY T. SMITH, JOHN ROBINSON, J. C. BANKS, and EATON BANKS of Jasper County appointed appraisers of said estate.

JAMES H. ROBINSON, administrator of estate of ADAM POTTER, dec., requested his said administration be removed to the county of Jasper. Court ordered that on receipt of a certificate from Clerk of Court of Jasper County stating that bond had been given by said administrator he will in that event have leave to remove said administration and the future jurisdiction of this court cease.

Court revolked the letters of administration given RICHARD DOZIER on estate of JAMES FINDLY, dec., for failing to give new bond with good security after his former securities SIMON HARRIS and STEPHEN R. HAM were released.

STEPHEN R. HAM, administrator de bonis non on estate of DANIEL CLARK, dec., granted further time to make his annual return.

AVNER BURNAM granted leave to sell the following lands to wit #97, 4th Sec. 5th Dist. of Cherokee now Floyd County; #383, 17th Dist. of formerly Erly(Early) now Thomas County; #383, 8th Dist. of formerly Erly(Early) now Baker County; #76, 13th Dist. of Houston County. (NOTE: The estate involved for this entry was not specified).

The Clerk of court was ordered to issue citations to all defaulting executors, administrators, and guartdians to show cause at next term of court.

Page 159 - 6 July 1846: WILLIAM S. CUTTS appointed administrator of estate of ANNA BARNWELL, dec. Bond set at $300 in vacation.

JAMES A. ROQUEMORE, administrator de bonis non cum testament annexed of WILLIAM H. DUPREE, dec., having completed his administration was granted letter of dismission.

ORAN C. HORNE, administrator de bonis non of AARON LOWE, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

ELIZABETH BEATY minor of JAMES BEATY, dec., removed her residence to Stewart County and being of age chose ROBERT BEATY of said county of Stewart as her guardian. Said ROBERT BEATY having been appointed by the Court of Ordinary of Stewart County as guardian of said minor, the court ordered that former guardian JAMES G. BASKIN in Houston County be dismissed from further liability.

JOHN E. J. HORNE and JOAB W. C. HORNE appointed administrators of estate of CULLEN HORNE, dec. Bond set at $40,000 with ISAAC HOLMES and CALVIN LEARY as security. Court further ordered that the appraisment taken at time temporary letters were issued to stand.

ELIJAH H. WARREN, guardian of NANCY D. WARREN and KITRELL WARREN, having removed to the county of Lee requested his guardianship be transferred to Lee County. Court ruled that on receipt of a certificate from Clerk of Ordinary Court of Lee County stating bond and security had been given the jursidiction of this court would cease.

BRYANT BATTON, administrator de bonis non on estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., granted leave to keep togeather the slaves and personal property necessary to work the plantation of said deceased for the present year 1846.

Page 162 - 7 Sep.1846: JOEL WALKER, administrator with Will annexed of JOHN TODD, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

SAMUEL STALEY, dec., by his will proven and admitted to record on 21 May 1838 appointed JANE STALEY now deceased as his executrix. JANE STALEY by her Will proven and recorded on 4 Apr.1845 appointed JOHN STALEY and DAVID H. RILEY her executors. Court on motion ordered that said JOHN STALEY be appointed as executor of the Will of SAMUEL STALEY, dec.

JAMES MURRAY and ARZA MURRAY having completed their administration of estate of ANDERSON BARKER, dec., were granted letters of dismission.

JOHN SANGSTER appointed guardian of person and property of DURHAM J., ELIZABETH E., FRANCES, MARTHA, and WILLIAM A. SANGSTER orphans of WILLIAM A. SANGSTER, dec. Bond set at $60.

DAVID GILES, one of the administrators of REASON JERKINS, dec., applied for and was granted letters of dismission from said administration.

THOMAS N. McWILLIAMS, guardian of JANE ECKLES, having settled with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM E. KILLEN, SARAH C. KILLEN and FRANCES C. KILLEN, orphans and minors of JAMES KILLEN, dec., applied to the court for CHRISTAIN J. STALEY to be their guardian. Court overruled and rejected the application whereon CHRISTAIN J. STALEY with SAMUEL H. J. SISTRUNK as security, filed an appeal and bound themselves to all court costs.

BENJAMIN T. BLOUNT, administrator upon estate of CHARLES J. EASON, dec., departed this life before fully completing his administration and CALVIN BLOUNT having applied

was appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate. Bond set at $1,200.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON appointed guardian of person and property of ANDREW J., and MARTHA ANN JOHNSON, minors of SARAH JOHNSON, dec. Bond set at $200 with JAMES THOMPSON as security.

JOHN KING, administrator of estate of JAMES KING, dec., granted leave to sell 100 acres of land in 5th Dist.

The last Will and testament of WILLIAM STATHAM, dec., was proven by RICHMOND STATHAM and GARLAND STATHAM executors, and by oath of witnesses and admitted to record. STEPHEN CASTALOW, DENNIS McLENDON, LEVI KING, CHARLES LAW, and ALLEN ALBRITTON appointed to appraise said estate. Court further granted the exectors of said estate leave to sell all the horses, hogs, and cattle, plantation and farming tools, household and kitchen furniture, and present crops after they have been appraised.

JAMES N. MARSHALL petitioned the court that JAMES KING, dec., did in life time give to WILLIAM AVERY his bond conditioned to execute titles for lot or parcel of land #195, 5th Dist. of Houston County containing 50 acres. Said bond was later transferred to JAMES N. MARSHALL and said JAMES KING, dec., departed this life without executing titles or in any way providing therefor. Court ordered that notice be published that all persons concerned may file objections why JOHN KING administrator should not execute said titles.

Page 165 - 2 Sep. 1846: WILLIAM S. MOORE, administrator de bonis non with the Will annexed of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., granted leave to sell the perishable property of said estate.

On application of WILLIAM S. MOORE, guardian of formely SARAH A. SCARBOROUGH now SARAH A. HARGROVE and SARAH M. SCARBOROUGH minors, court appointed WILLIAM HADDOCK, ROBERT W. BASKIN, and WILLIAM B. BRYAN to distribute the estate of said minors.

WILLIAM HADDOCK, WILLIAM B. BRYAN, ISAAC C. WEST, ROBERT W. BASKIN, and JOHN G. HARGROVE appointed to appraise the perishable property belonging to estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

GEORGE F. RILEY, administrator de bonis non of JOHN J. CULLER, dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

ELIJAH WILLIAMS, administrator on estate of JAMES HOLT, dec., granted leave to hire out the negroes of said estate.

The Will of SAMUEL HOLTON, dec., having been produced in court by HUGH LAWSON, executor was proven by the oaths of STEPHEN BROWN, JAMES FITZGERALD, and ROBERT HOLTON as subscribing witnesses and was admitted to record. STEPHEN BROWN, DEMPSEY BROWN, ISAAC HOLMES, and RICHARD JOHNSON appointed to appraise said estate.

THOMAS WILLIAM, THOMAS B. ALDRIDGE, J. M. COOPER, WILLIAM HADDOCK, and ISAAC LOFTON appointed to appraise the goods and chatills (chattels) of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., which have not been here-to-fore appraised.

LEARRY C. MANNING appointed guardian of person and property of MARY CLARK, orphan and minor of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $600 with HUGH LAWSON as security.

JOHN S. WILLIAMS, administrator of JERAMIAH WILLIAMS, dec., granted leave to sell the negroes of said estate.

The last Will and testament of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., provided that his daughter BETSEY ANN PERRY upon arriving of age should receive the residue of her distribution portion of her estate and further that as his sons arrive of age and his daughters marry they should each receive a full portion of said estate. Whereas his son HENRY EZEKIEL has also arrived of age and his daughter SARAH J. WIMBERLY has married, court appointed ELIJAH WILLIAM JP, WILLIAM S. COALSON, JOSEPH TOOKE, EDMOND K. HODGES, and CHARLES WEST as commissioners to appraise and divide said estate according to the Will.

EDWARD EUBANKS appointed guardian of person and property of HENRY CLARK and SARAH CLARK minors and orphans of JAMES CLARK, dec. Bond set at $1,200 with HENRY HARRELL as security.

Whereas the last Will and testament of HENRY MINSHEW, dec., gave to his wife ELIZABETH to dispose of as she might think proper the proceeds of the hire of a negro man named Sandy who was to be hired out during her lifetime and after making said Will the deceased exchanged said negro man for a negro woman. Court ordered that REDDING R. MINSHEW, executor, hire out the negro woman and pay over the proceeds to said widow.

SAMPSON W. CULPEPPER and JAMES B. CULPEPPER minors of age appeared in court and chose ROBERT W. BASKIN as their guardian. Court complied and also appointed said ROBERT W. BASKIN as guardian of person and property of ROBERT M. CULPEPPER all minors of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec. Said guardian to appear at next term of court and give bond and security.

MARIAH J. CHAPMAN, guardian for MARTHA CHAPMAN, intermarried with MATHEW DAWSEY and he applied for said guardianship. Court complied and set bond at $1,200 with S. C. BRYAN as security. Guardianship was removed from Greene County to Houston County.

SILAS RAWLS, JACOB RILEY, JAMES E. BARRETT, GILES MONZINGO and GEORGE MONZINGO were appinted commissioners to divide the residue of the estate of MOSES ROUNDTREE. Court further appointed SEABORN C. BRYAN as guardian of CHARLES ROUNDTREE, AMANDA E. ROUNDTREE, and H. C. ROUNDTREE children of said deceased. Bond set at $18,000 with JOHN J. HAMPTON as security.

J. W. C. HORNE and J. E. J. HORNE, administrators of estate of CULLEN HORNE, dec., granted leave to sell all perishable property belonging to said estate, except the cotton crop to be sold at private sale. JOHN A. LEARRY, DAVID GIRTMAN, ELIJAH BURNAM, AVNER BURNAM, and SAMUEL FELDER appointed to appraise and distribute the personal estate of said deceased.

Page 168 - 18 Nov.1846: EDMOND GILBERT appointed administrator of estate of MALCOMB T. GILBERT. Bond set at $3,000 with SAMUEL H. J. SISTRUNK as security. SILAS RAWLS, CHRISTIAN J. STALEY, JOHN GOLDSON, JAMES TURENTINE, and GEORGE F. RILEY appointed to appraise said estate. Court further authorized the administrator to have leave to hire out the negroes of said estate.

Page 169 - 6 Jan.1847: BRYANT BATTON was duly elected as Clerk of the Court.

SYLVANUS S. BRYAN, administrator with Will annexed of THOMAS WOODARD, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM L. HUNT, WILLIAM R. HARRIS, JOSEPH HARPER, JACOB N. GOFF, and FREDERICK WARREN were appointed commissioners to distribute among distributees of the estate of JERMIAH W. WILLIAMS, dec., such of the estate of said deceased as the administrator may produce to them.

JAMES P. HAMERICK, guardian of ELIZABETH TODD, having fully settled with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR appointed guardian of person and property of NANCY THOMAS a minor of DIXON THOMAS, dec. Bond set at $2,600 with WILLIAM SUMMERFORD and DREWRY W. TAYLOR as security.

WILLIAM McKENZEY, administrator on estate of WILLIAM M. POWELL, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

J. W. C. HORNE and J. E. J. HORNE, administrators of estate of CULLEN HORNE, granted leave to sell the lands of said estate.

THOMAS CONE, administrator on estate of ABEL CONE, having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, guardian of minors of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., granted leave to hire out the negroes of said minors.

THOMAS WOODARD appointed guardian of person and property of THOMAS WOODARD a minor, and of JESSE LEE and THOMAS LEE minors. Bond set at $1,600 with SILVANUS S. BRYAN as security.

T. M. FURLOW appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM RAY, dec. Bond set at $500 with BRYANT BATTON as security. THOMAS B. ALDRIDGE, JOEL W. MANN, P. B. D. H. CULLER, JOHN G. WHITE, and JOHN KILLEN appointed to appraise said estate.

The Will of WILLIAM McKENZEY, dec., was produced for probate by SUSAN McKENZEY, the executrix, and JOHN SUTTON and HENRY McKENZEY, the executors and was ordered admitted to record. HAMILTON HARVEY JP, I. W. C. HORNE, E. BURNAM, A. BURNAM, and W. BURNAM appointed to appraise said estate.

CHARATY BATEMAN appointed guardian of BARTLEY B., and JOHN BATEMAN minors of BRYAN BATEMAN, dec., for purpose of receiving $100.20 for each minor out of sale of two negroes which was money over and above their respective legaces under the Will. Bond was $600.

ELIJAH WILLIAMS appointed guardian of persons and property of SUSAN HOLT, EMALY HOLT, MARTHA HOLT, and WILLIAM HOLT minor children of JAMES HOLT, dec. Bond set at $16,000 with GEORGE WILLIAMS and CHARLES F. PATTILLO as security.

JAMES BATEY of this county having recently been appointed in Jefferson County as administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of ANDREW McNEALY of Jefferson County, dec., and having applied to this court to remove said administration from Jefferson County to this county, was granted authority do so. Bond set at $2,500.

ROBERT W. BASKIN appointed guardian of persons and property of JOSEPH JOHN CULPEPPER,

SAMPSON WILLIAM CULPEPPER, and ROBERT MALARY CULPEPPER minors of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec. Bond set at $10,000.

HARDY H. HARGROVE a minor over age 14 appeared in open court and chose JOHN G. HARGROVE as his guardian. Court approved. Bond set at $1,200 with WILLIAM S. MOORE as security.

HARDY H. HARGROVE having intermarried with ANN E. SCARBOROUGH minor and ward of WILLIAM S. MOORE, Jr., the court ordered letters of dismission be granted to WILLIAM S. MOORE, Jr., as guardian of ANN E. SCARBOROUGH now ANN E. HARGROVE.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON, guardian of ELIAS JORDAN, granted leave to hire out the negroes of said ward.

All executors, administrators, and guardians have until next term of court to make their annual returns for year 1846.

ISAAC C. WEST, JAMES A. BRYAN, WILLIAM B. BRYAN, HUGH L. DENNARD, and WILLIAM HADDOCK appointed to appraise and distribute among the distributees, the personal estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

JANE G. CULPEPPER, administratrix on estate of BENJAMIN F. CULPEPPER, dec., having completed her administration granted letters of dismission.

JOHN KING, administrator of estate of JAMES KING, dec., ordered to execute and deliver to JAMES N. MARSHALL titles to 50 acres more or less in land lot #195, 5th Dist. The deceased having while in life gave a bond conditioned to execute title to WILLIAM AVERY and said WILLIAM AVERY having sold the property to said JAMES N. MARSHALL and the deceased having never executed titles in compliance with the bond.

JOSEPH N. CARR, guardian of person and property of JOHN H. CARR minor of HUGH CARR, dec., having fully discharged his trust was granted letters of dismission.

Page 172 - 1 Mar.1847: E. BUTTS, administrator of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., granted until next term of court to make his annual return.

SOLOMON FUDGE, guardian of FRANCES NcNAIR, granted until next term of court to make his return.

HENRY TILL appointed administrator of estate of THOMAS C. STEWART, dec. Bond set at $400 with SAMUEL FELDER as security. ROBERT SHEPPARD, JOHN BRIDGES, NEEDHAM BOWERS, HIRAM GOYEN, and WILLIAM BRITT appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES VINSONT(VINSON) and JOSIAH VINSENT(VINSON) on application were dismissed from security on bond of JANE G. CULPEPPER and dismissed as security on guardianship of DANIEL C., MARIAM J., LUCINDA E., and JAMES M. CULPEPPER orphans and minors of MARIAM CULPEPPER late of Monroe County, dec., on 6 Mar.1843. JANE G. CULPEPPER then gave new bond of $30,000 with WILLIAM AVERY, WILLIAM R. HARRIS, JOSHUA BARNES, MATHEW J. JORDAN, CLABORN BATEMAN, and SIMON HARRIS as security.

JOHN SANGSTER, guardian of DURHAM, ELIZABETH, FRANCES, MARTHA, and WILLIAM SANGSTER minors and orphans of WILLIAM A. SANGSTER, dec., was accused of mismanageing the estate of said orphans and failing to make any returns. Court ordered said guardian to appear at next term of court and show cause why his guardianship should not be revolked.

BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of the Ordinary Court and administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., granted leave to sell Yellow Ben and land lot #278, 14th Dist.

Court instructed the Clerk to issue citations against all defaulting executors, administrators, and guardians to show cause at next term of court why their trusts should not be revolked.

WILLIAM S. MOORE, administrator de bonis non on estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., was directed to execute titles to T. M. FURLOW for lot of land #16, 10th Dist., lying on Bay Creek adjoining Mrs. JENKINS and others and containing 202¼ acres. REUBEN M. HARGROVE executor on said estate had executed his bond 18 Oct.1845 to DREWRY M. COX, conditioned on payment of certain promissary notes to make title for said land. On 20 Feb.1847 said DREWRY M. COX transferred said bond to T. M. FURLOW who has satisfied payment to said administrator.

CHARLES WEST, executor of EDWARD ENGRAM, dec., and JOHN STALEY and DAVID H. RILEY executors of JANE STALEY, dec., and administrator de bonis non of SAMUEL STALEY, dec., and administrators of CHARLES H. STALEY, dec., have until next term of court to make their returns.

WILLIAM S. MOORE, administrator de bonis non of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., granted leave to sell 50 acres of land in 10th Dist. of the deceased.

DAVID H. RILEY, guardian of person and property of C.J.E. STALEY minor of SAMUEL STALEY, dec., having settled with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

THOMAS CONE, administrator of ABEL CONE, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

J. W. C. HORNE, guardian of ANN RIGGINS minor of WILLIAM H. RIGGINS, dec., having full filled his trust was granted letters of dismission.

Page 175 - 3 May 1847: CHARLES WEST, testamentry guardian of minor children of EDWARD ENGRAM, dec., granted until next term of court to make his returns.

JOHN SANGSTER, guardian of DURHAM, ELIZABETH, FRANCES, MARTHA, and WILLIAM SANGSTER minors and orphans of WILLIAM SANGSTER, dec., resigned said guardianship and was replaced by ALLEN BUSBY. Bond set at $80.

REDDING R. MINSHEW, executor of last Will and testament of NATHAN MINSHEW, dec., granted leave to sell the slaves of said estate.

LUCY H. BALDWIN, guardian of JOSEPH H. BALDWIN, granted leave to sell the real estate of her ward.

JAMES L. FULLER appointed administrator of estate of JAMES BEALL, dec. Bond set at $400 with WILLIAM H. TALTON as security.

JAMES G. BASKIN, guardian of CATHERINE BATEY now CATHERINE HUDSON wife of MATHEW HUDSON, having made final settlement with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

CALVIN LEARRY, guardian of minor children of THOMAS SMITH, dec., produced a division of land of said deceased made among the legatees by ISAAC L. HILL, ALFORD NELSON and B. E. WHITEHEAD as commissioners, which was admitted to record.

Page 176 - 5 Jul.1847: J. M. C. HORNE and J. E. J. HORNE, administrators of CULLEN HORNE, dec., granted leave to sell fractional land lot #3, 2nd Dist. Dooly County.

ALEXANDER SMITH, administrator of WILLIAM SMITH, Jr., dec., having fully administered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

Page 177 - 6 Sep.1847: ROBERT C. BRYAN appointed administrator of estate of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec. Bond set at $60,000 with WILLIAM HADDOCK and HUGH LAWSON as security. WILLIAM SMITH, MEREDIATH JOINER, HUGH LAWSON, HENRY CONYERS, and WILLIAM HADDOCK appointed to appraise said estate.

The last Will and testament of WILLIAM MAHON, dec., was produced in court by MARY A. B. MAHON, executrix and was proven by evidence of WILLIAM H. GREGORY and RILEY BACHELOR subscribing witnesses, and admitted to record. IRA T. HOBBS, JAMES FITZGERALD, EDMOND FLOYD, DURHAM BOWEN, and DAVID BOWEN appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES S. FULLER, administrator of estate of JAMES BELL, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

RICHARD JOHNSON, Jr., and WILLIAM SMITH, administrators of NEEDHAM SMITH, dec., have completed their administration were granted letters of dismission.

AVNER BURNAM, E. BURNAM, J. W. C. HORNE, HAMILTON HARVEY, and JOHN A. LEARY appointed to appraise and lay off the estate of WILLIAM McKENZEY, dec., in accordance with his last Will and testament when his wife should remarry or children become of age. At that time his executors JOHN SUTTON and HENRY McKENZEY to make division. His widow having intermarried and two children nearing the age, court ruled one division to answer both purposes.

Page 178 - 14 Nov.1847: HARTWELL H. TARVER in right of his wife applied for his portion of estate of F. D. WIMBERLY, dec. CREED T. WOODSON, ALEXANDER SMITH, HUGH L. DENNARD, THOMAS KINSEY, and ALLEN WILLIAMS appointed commissioners to divide said estate.

BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of Ordinary Court and administrator de bonis non with Will annexed on estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., granted leave to sell all personal property of said estate, except negroes. Authorization was also granted to sell land lot #151 and half of #136, 5th Dist., and the plantation where said deceased lived at time of death with exception of the widows dower.

Upon motion of ELIJAH WILLIAM, administrator of JAMES HOLT, dec., court appointed CHARLES WEST, LUNSFORD PITTS, WILLIAM S. COALSON, TERRELL PERRY, and WILEY KENT JP to divide the negroes of said estate among the legatees.

WILLIAM S. COALSON appointed administrator of MALCOM GILBERT, dec., and granted leave to seel negroes of said estate.

PAUL S. DINKINS, administrator of STIRLING C. WILLIAMSON, dec., having fully admin-

istered said estate was granted letters of dismission.

JAMES BATEY, administrator de bonis non on estate of ANDREW McNEALY, dec., having sued for property supposed to belong to said estate and receiving no effects, was exempt from making returns until receiving some of the effects.

MARTHA HANCOCK, the widow of WILLIAM J. HANCOCK who deceased more than three years ago intestate, was appointed administratrix of said deceased. Bond set at $600 with JAMES HANCOCK as security. MICHAEL HOWARD, JOHN RICHARDSON, HILIARD CLARK, JOHN JOHNSON and STEPHEN R. HAM appointed to appraise said estate.

Publication having been made in the Central Georgian newspaper by KINCHEN W. MASSEY, administrator de bonis non of THOMAS A. IRWIN, dec., court granted said administrator leave to sell the land of said deceased.

The last Will and testament of ALLEN B. CHASTAIN, dec., was produced in court by JOHN M. CHASTAIN as executor and was proven by affidavids of P. B. D. H. CULLER, JAMES TURENTINE, and JOEL W. MANN subscribing witnesses, and admitted to record. Letters of Testamentry issued to JOHN M. CHASTAIN and WILLIAM CHASTAIN as executors. SAMUEL FELDER, JOHN KILLEN, JAMES TURENTINE, SILAS RAWLS, and P.B.D.H. CULLER appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN LIPTROTT, administrator of estate of COMILLA TALTON, dec., having recently in an action of trover in Superior Court recovered a sum of $9,700 or there whereabouts and his bond being only $8,000 was ordered to appear at next term to show cause why his bond should not be increased.

Page 180 - 13 Dec.1847: (NOTE: This entry out of date sequence). JOEL LOFTON, B. H. RUTHERFORD, JAMES A. PRINGLE, H. M. BUNN, and ISAAC LOFTEN appointed to divide the negroes of the elder orphans of THOMAS W. ANDERSON, dec.

Page 181 - 10 Nov.1847: REUBEN M. HARGROVE appointed temporary administrator of estate of WILLIAM M. HARGROVE, dec., and empowered to act and sell the perishable property of said estate as if acting under regular letters of administration. SILAS RAWLS, JOHN S. HARGROVE, ROBERT W. BASKIN, GILES MONZINGO, and JAMES E. BARROT appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 181 - 13 Dec.1847: SAMUEL FELDER, P.B.D.H. CULLER, JOHN KILLEN, WARREN E. SANDERS, and WILLIAM S. TOWNSEND appointed to divide the negroes of the estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL dec., between the legatees. Their being no guardian, BRYANT BATTON was appointed agent to hire out for the ensuing year the negroes belonging to the minors.

Page 182 - 10 Jan.1848: LEARRY C. MANNING and GILES COLE appointed administrators on estate of MATHEW GRACE, dec. Bond set at $10,000 with SAMUEL GRACE and JOHN PEACOCK as security. JOHN PEACOCK, SAMUEL GRACE, HENRY B. HUDSON, DAVID M. BROWN, WILLIAM D. WHITEHEAD appointed appraisers of said estate. Further said administrators were authorized to sell the personal property and hire out the negroes at private contract.

REUBEN M. HARGROVE granted permanent letters of administration on estate of WILLIAM M. HARGROVE, dec. Bond set at $8,000 with WILLIAM G. BASKIN as security.

HOPE L. PEARSON a minor over age 14 chose DAVID FUDGE as her guardian. Court complied and set bond at $5,000.

JOSEPH BLONT appointed administrator of estate of CHARLES J. EASON. Bond set at $500 with LEVI ESEL as security.

All executors, administrators, guardians have until next terms of court to make their returns.

WILLIAM H. MOORE, administrator of estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, having completed his administation was granted letters of dismission.

MARGARETT MARSHALL, administratrix on the estate of MATHEW MARSHALL, reported to the court she had paid off all estate debts and that proceeds from plantation and stock thereon will not be more than sufficient to support the minors and orphans for next five years. Court ordered she be released from making further returns, to keep said farm and stock togeather and apply proceeds to the maintenance and education of the minors and orphans of said deceased for term of 5 years or until one of the heirs becomes of age and applies for division.

WILLIAM O. PRY and MARY his wife and Others vs DAVID ADAMS and his wife DORCAS: Rule Nisi in Matter of JOSHUA MERCER's Will. Council ordered that the defendents in above case show cause at next regular term of court why said Will should not be set aside on following grounds to wit 1. Said Will was not the act of and deed of said JOSHUA MERCER, dec. 2. Said Will was obtained fraudently and by use of undue influence.

FRANCES N. McNAIR petitioned the court to appoint GEORGE M. DUNCAN as his guardian.

Court approved and set bond at $7,000 with JAMES E. DUNCAN as security.

Page 184 - 6 Mar. 1848: ELIJAH WILLIAMS, guardian of the four minor children under age 14 of JAMES HOLT, dec., was charged with mismanagement by JOHN TOOKE who had intermarried with the widow ELIZABETH HOLT. Said guardian was said to have removed the children from their mother who is well qualified and fitted to take care of them. Further he is charging board when the income from their property is insufficient to pay expenses and he has failed to make proper and full returns and is wasting their estate. Court ordered said guardian be served with a rule nisi and ordered to appear at next term to answer charges.

HARDY HUNTER was chosen guardian by AMANDA MOORE and NANCY MOORE. Court approved and set bond at $600 with JOSIAH VINSON as security.

HARDY HARGROVE, WILLIAM B. BRYAN, ISAAC C. WEST, WILLIAM S. MOORE and WILLIAM O. BASKIN appointed to appraise estate of COMILLA TALTON, dec.

JOHN C. STALEY appointed administrator on estate of WILLIAM A. KILLABREW, dec. Bond set at $150 with CALVIN FELDER as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians who have not made returns for 1847 were granted till next term to do so.

HENRY SAWYER, a minor over age 14 and orphan of WILLIAM SAWYER, dec., chose FLOYD SAWYER as his guardian. Court complies and set bond at $100.

ANN JENKINS, executrix of Will of SAMUEL JENKINS, dec., having published in the Georgia Telegraph her application for leave to sell the land of said estate was granted court permission to do so.

JOHN KING, administrator on estate of JAMES KING, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission. Court further ordered that JOHN KING be appointed guardian of persons and property of TABITHA, JAMES, McDANIEL, and WILLIAM KING minors and orphans of the deceased. Bond set at $1,800.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON, guardian of A. E. JORDAN and RUSSELL B. JORDAN, granted leave to hire out the slaves of said wards for year 1848 privately or otherwise.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON, guardian of his own children A. J. JOHNSON and MARTHA ANN JOHNSON was exempt from making annual returns as such guardian.

In the matter of JOSHUA MERCER's Will. WILLIAM O. PRY and Wife vs DAVID ADAMS and Wife: Rule to set aside. The respondents ADAMS & Wife by their attorneys WARREN & FRANK and KELLY & GILES now cum into court and in response to said rule nisi shew for cause against the same that the probate of said Will taken in due form of law at January Term of this court 1844 is still in force and remains as the judgement of this court as appears by its record, wherefore the respondants of say that the plantiffs are estoped by the same from contesting the validity of said Will so long as said judgement of probate shall remain unreversed and of force as the judgement of the court and they therefore pray judgement whether they shall make any other or further answer to the aforesaid rule. Court after argument ordered that the rule nisi be hereby dismissed it appearing that said Will was proven at January Term 1844 and the executrix qualified in open court and the Will since recorded upon the proper record.

Rule Nisi in the Matter of JOSHUA MERCER's Will. WILLIAM O. PRY & his Wife MARY vs DAVID ADAMS and his Wife DORCAS formerly DORCAS MERCER: It appearing to the court that all interested parties were not cited to appear at the probate of said Will it is ordered that defendants show cause at the term of this court why said probate should not be set aSIDE AND SAID Will proven in solum form of law.

Page 186 - 1 May 1848: JOHN S. WILKINSON of Baker County appointed administrator of estate of ALATIA COLEY, dec. (NOTE: She was also listed as ALLATIA COALY in same entry). Bond set at $60,000 upon giving good security. SOLOMON HENDERSON, WILLIAM BROWN, WILLIAM R. BROWN, JAMES FITZGERALD and DAVID M. BROWN appointed to appraise said estate.

MORRIS POLLOCK appointed guardian of all minor children of NATHAN CHANCEY, dec.

HAMILTON HARVEY appointed guardian of persons and property of WILLIAM B. EDWARDS and ELIZABETH A. EDWARDS minors of WILLIAM EDWARDS, dec. Bond set at $1,500.

WILLIAM S. MOORE appointed administrator upon estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec. Bond set at $3,000 with NATHANIEL C. HUGHS and CHARLES CULPEPPER as security. WILLIAM HADDOCK, WILLIAM B. BRYAN, HARDY HARGROVE, NATHANIEL C. HUGHS and EDWARD A. HARVEY appointed to appraise said estate.

NATHANIEL C. HUGHS appointed administrator on estate of WILLIAM HUGHS, dec. Bond set at $12,000 with JOHN SMITH, JAMES PARKS, WILLIAM S. MOORE, and CHARLES CULPEPPER as security. WILLIAM B. BRYAN, WILLIAM HADDOCK, HARDY HARGROVE, WILLIAM S. MOORE, and EDWARD A. HARVEY appointed to appraise said estate. Further said administrator was allowed to

sell at private sale one horse, some beef cattle, corn, meat, lard and peas as estate property.

S. C. BRYAN, administrator of MOSES ROUNDTREE, dec., granted until 1st Monday in July to make his return for 1847. Said S. C. BRYAN as guardian of NOAH SCARBOROUGH's minor children also granted the same return extension.

The last Will and testament of ELENOR NEWSOM, dec., was proven and admitted to record. THOMAS POLLOCK, the executor therein was administered the oath. NATHAN FREEMAN, NOAH DANIEL, WILLIAM M. WILLIS, WILLIAM P. GILBERT, and THOMAS KINSEY appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES PRATT appointed administrator of estate of his son JAMES C. PRATT, dec. The son deceased while a member of Company C., Captain ECTOR of the 13th Regiment U.S. Inf. in the service of the United States in Mexico and the deceased departed this life at Mier in the Republic of Mexico. Bond set at $300 with WILLIAM H. TALTON as security.

JOHN KILLEN, executor of estate of JAMES H. KILLEN, dec., whose Will was proven on 2 May 1836 in this court, reported his letters were mislaid. Court ordered the Clerk to issue new letters in lieu of those mislaid.

In the matter of the Will of JOSHUA MERCER, dec. WILLIAM O. PRY & Wife vs DAVID ADAMS & Wife: Motion to set aside probate. The respondents ADAMS and Wife by their attorneys now com unto court and for answer to said rule nisi say that if said Will has not been probated in solom form they move now to prove same the subscribing witnesses being here present in court. /s/ WARREN & FRANKS, KELLY & GILES, Attorneys. In this matter the subscribing witnesses CANNY RODGERS, ABRAHAM SASSER, WILLIAM P. GILBERT and THOMAS POLLOCK were severally examined under oath and severally and respectively testified to the due and legal execution of said Will, that testor was of sound mind and memory, that testor did so freely and voluntarly without compulsion or influence to their knowledge. The contestors PRY and Wife being present and represented by council during probate. The court judged said Will to be duly proven and admitted to record and ADAMS & Wife to further recover of PRY & Wife the sum of (left blank) dollars for this cost.

The Clerk of Court was ordered to issue citations to all defaulting executors, administrators, and guardians who have not filed their returns for 1847.

Page 189 - 29 May 1848: At a previous term of court the last Will and testament of JAMES HERD, dec., was proven and admitted to record. One of two executors named therein was qualified and since has departed this life. Court proceeded to qualify WILLIAM CHERRY the other named executor. ISAAC WILLIAMS, GEORGE R. CLAYTON, WILLIAM H. CALHOUN, JOSEPH THOMPSON, and MARTIN JOHN were appointed to appraise said estate.

JACOB RHODES appointed guardian of persons and property of his three minor children WILEY M. RHODES, ROBERT M. RHODES, and SARAH ANN E. RHODES. Bond set at $2,000 with ROBERT C. BRYAN and MERIDATH JOINER as security.

Page 189 - 3 Jul.1848: NATHAN G. LEWIS, administrator on estate of GREEN B. PINKSTON, dec., having collected all the money belonging to said estate but injoined from paying out said money by a bill - Court ordered that he be exempt from making returns until said injunction is disolved.

JOHN W. SMITH and JAMES SMITH appointed administrators of estate of WILLIAM SMITH, dec. Bond set at $8,000 with WILLIAM H. SMITH and ISAAC LOFTEN as security. JOEL LOFTEN, JOSEPH KEMP, JOHN JOHNSON, B. F. THARP, and JAMES P. HAMRICK appointed to appraise said estate.

CHARLES M. McCOY appointed administrator on estate of MINOR McCOY, dec. Bond set at $500 with JOHN McCOY and JAMES M. KELLY as security. J. BROOKS, M. TAYLOR, R. STORY, JOHN B. HAM, and ISAAC C. TAYLOR appointed appraiser of said estate.

JOSEPH BLONT having fully administered estate of CHARLES J. ESOM, dec., was granted letters of dismission.

ELEANOR, LUCINDA, and HENRY NEIGHBOUR orphan children of WILLIAM SMITH, dec., having each reached the age of 14 appeared in court and chose ISAAC LOFTEN as their guardian. Court concurred and set bond at $2,000.

ANDREW JACKSON HEARD orphan child of JAMES HEARD, dec., having reached age 14 appeared in court and chose WILLIAM G. SYKES as his guardian. Court concurred and set bond at $3,600.

Page 191 - 24 Jul.1848: The last Will and testament of JAMES A. EVERETT was proven in open court by ALLEN WIGGINS, WILLIAM H. HOLLENSHEAD, and HARDY HUNTER subscribing witnesses to same and the codicil proven by ALLEN WIGGINS, WILLIAM J. ANDERSON, and JACKSON KENDRICK subscribing witnesses to codicil. The Will was admitted to record and letters issued to ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK and TURNER C. EVERETT as executors named in said Will.

WILLIAM THOMPSON, JOHN J. HAMPTON, HARDY HUNTER, ALLEN WIGGINS and MATHEW DAWSEY appinted to appraise said estate.

JESSE R. HORNE appointed administrator of estate of JAMES C. HORNE, dec. Bond set at $300 with JESSE COOPER as security. CORDY D. STOKES, JESSE COOPER, ISAAC C. WEST, JAMES G. BASKIN, and HARDY HARGROVE appointed to appraise said estate.

DAVID M. HOLMES and WILLIAM L. HADDOCK give legal notice of their intentions to apply for administration on estate of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec. However WILLIAM L. HADDOCK declined to take out said letters either separately or with DAVID M. HOLMES. Therefore Court appointed DAVID M. HOLMES as administrator of said estate. Bond set at $120,000. IVEY BROOKS, ROBERT W. BASKIN, HARDY HARGROVE, JOHN RUTHERFORD and LEARY STANLEY appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 192 - 4 Sep.1848: THOMAS POLLOCK appointed administrator on estate of JOHN MERCER, dec. Bond set at $600. NOAH DANIEL, JACOB JASPER, WILLIAM P. GILBERT, JOSIAH J. HANCOCK and JOHN C. WALKER appointed to appraise said estate. Further said administrator was authorized to sell all the personal estate of said deceased for benefit of the orphans.

MORRIS POLLOCK, administrator de bonis non cum testaments annexed on estate of NATHAN CHANCEY late of Stewart County, dec., have leave to sell all the real estate.

JOHN W. SMITH and JAMES SMITH, administrators of WILLIAM SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell all perishable property consisting of corn, fodder, hogs, cows, sheep, horses plus household and kitchen furniture of said estate.

JANE FUDGE and EDWARD D. FUDGE appointed administratrix and administrator of DAVID FUDGE, dec. Bond set at $30,000 with SOLOMON FUDGE and DONALD PEARSON as security. SEABORN C. BRYAN, A. S. EDGEWORTH, DAVID GAMAGE, GEORGE S. HASLUM and WILLIAM M. HASLUM were appointed to appraise said estate.

JANE FUDGE, mother of MATILDA FUDGE and JAMES FUDGE orphans of DAVID FUDGE, dec., was appointed guardian of said orphans. Bond set at $7,000 with SOLOMON FUDGE and DONALD PEARSON as security.

MILES L. GREEN one of the executors of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., was qualified.

WILLIAM J. GREEN a minor appeared in court and chose MILES L. GREEN as his guardian. Bond set at $8,000 with TURNER C. EVERETT as security.

NATHANIEL C. HUGHS granted leave to sell all the personal property and real estate of WILLIAM HUGHS, dec.

JACOB RHODES guardian of his three minor children WILEY M., ROBERT W., and SARAH ANN E. RHODES was ordered to appear at nest term of court to show cause why MERIDATH JOINER and ROBERT C. BRYAN should not be dismissed as security on his bond.

It appearing to the court that FRANCES JACKSON a minor daughter of CULLEN and HARIETT JACKSON has acquired a gift (long since) from her grandfather HENRY JACKSON as personal property in sum of $100 and that CULLEN JACKSON the natural guardian of said FRANCES has failed and refused to give bond for the faithful performance of his trust as such guardian. It is therefore ordered that CHARLES M. McCOY be appointed as guardian of person and property of said minor. Bond set at $200.

JOHN TOOKE having sued out a rule nisi against E. WILLIAMS guardian of person and property of the orphans of JAMES HOLT, dec., to show cause why he should not be removed and said rule having been fully answered and cause shown and same not having been further prosecuted by said TOOKE or his attorneys - Court ordered the rule nisi be dismissed.

Page 194 - 6 Nov.1848: Whereas in the last Will of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., that upon his children becoming of age or marrying they should each receive a full portion of his estate and whereas his daughter MARTHA has married with RICHARD WILLIAMS - - Court appointed WILLIAM S. COALSON, DANIEL B. RHODES, LUNSFORD PITTS, JOHN POOL, and EDMOND K. HODGES as commissioners to appraise and divide said estate according to said Will.

CALVIN LEARY, guardian of EDWIN, WARREN, REBECCA, and NANCY SMITH minor children of THOMAS SMITH, dec., contemplating a removal from this state and in consequence thereof resigned his guardianship. Court then appointed ISAAC L. HILL as guardian of said minors. Bond set at $5,000 with TURNER SMITH as security..

Court ordered that JAMES SMITH and JOHN W. SMITH administrators of WILLIAM SMITH, dec. allow for the support of the wife and children from 14 April next the day appointed for the sale of the perishable property until 19 April next which will be one year from the death of said WILLIAM SMITH, dec., he having died the 19th last April. (NOTE: The date "14 April next" appears to be entered in error).

JOHN S. WILKINSON, administrator of estate of A. COLAY, dec., granted leave to sell the land of said estate lying in Houston and Dooly Counties.

JAMES MURRAY appointed administrator of estate of DAVID DUNN, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with THOMAS ALLEN as security. THOMAS FAGAN, JOHN MURRAY, WILLIAM THOMPSON, DAVID DILLARD, and DAVID O. SMITH appointed to appraise said estate.

JAMES MURRAY, administrator of estate of DAVID DUNN, dec., granted leave to sell all perishable property of said estate.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, guardian of NANCY THOMAS a minor and orphan of DIXON THOMAS, dec., granted leave to sell one negro man named Allen belonging to said ward. Said negro being unmanageable and in the wards interest to be sold.

LEARY C. MANNING and GILES COAL, administrators of MATHEW GRACE, granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

WILLIAM S. MOORE, administrator of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

BRYANT LANE appointed administrator of JAMES LANE, dec. Bond set at $20,000 with LARRY C. MANNING and LEARY STANLEY as security. LEARY STANLEY, LEVI EZZELL, E. EVANS, BENJAMIN BRYAN, and JAMES RADFORD appointed to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM S. COALSON, administrator upon estate of RUTH CHERRY, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

The court noting that one of the appraisers appointed on the estate of DAVID FUDGE, dec., lives out of county and another is unable to act due to sickness and none of the others have yet acted, proceeded to revolk their warrants of appraisment and appointed SOLOMON FUDGE, C. MURPH, GEORGE S. HASLUM, WILLIAM M. HASLUM, and SEABORN C. BRYAN to appraise said estate.

DONALD B. PEARSON and wife CATHERINE PEARSON formerly CATHERINE FUDGE daughter of DAVID FUDGE, dec., filed a petition stating the deceased left a widow and seven children to wit ELIZABETH DUNCAN wife of FRANKLIN DUNCAN, EDWARD C. FUDGE, your petitioner CATHERINE MARY FUDGE, WILLIAM FUDGE, MATILDA FUDGE, and JAMES FUDGE. Further that administration of the estate was granted JANE FUDGE and EDWARD C. FUDGE and that said JANE FUDGE has been appointed guardian of said MATILDA FUDGE and JAMES FUDGE who are only minors of said intestate. Further they having given notice more than 20 days ago to said administratrix and administrator and other distributees including the guardian, that this application would be filed for a distribution of the estate. /s/ KELLY & GILES, Attorneys. Court noting that the petition had been served on all interesting parties more than 20 days and no objections filed proceeded to appoint SEABORN C. BRYAN, SOLOMON FUDGE, LEWIS RUMPH, C. MURPH, and WILLIAM M. HASLUM as commissioners to divide said estate among the heirs.

REDDING STOKES filed a petition that JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., did in his life time execute to said petitioner his bond conditioned to execute titles in fee simple to said petitioner for lot of land #171, 3rd Dist. of Dooly County and said deceased departed this life without executing titles after said petitioner had paid the amount of purchase. Court then ordered that public notice be given in three or more public places in the county and in the Georgia Telegraph of such petition for anyone to show cause why ROBERT C. BRYAN administrator should not execute titles in conformity to said bond.

Page 198 - 5 Dec.1848: BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of Ordinary Court was appointed guardian of DAVID, ARABELLA, and LAURA PATTISHALL minor children of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., until such time as a regular guardian can be appointed.

WILLIAM CHERRY, executor of estate of JAMES HEARD, dec., granted leave to sell and dispose of all land and negroes belonging to said estate in county of Houston.

JOHN S. WILKINSON, administrator on estate of ALATIA COLEY, dec., gave notice for distribution. Court appointed WILLIAM R. BROWN, WILLIAM BROWN, DAVID M. BROWN, S. C. HENDERSON and JAMES FITZGERALD free holders of said county to make distribution of said estate amongst the distributees.

FRANCIS M. TULL and NANCY C. TULL minors of ARTHUR TULL, dec., appeared in court and chose BENNETT TULL of Twiggs County as their guardian. Court concurred and set Bond at $4,000 with TURNER SMITH as security.

R. B. LANE and W. H. LANE, minors of JAMES LANE, dec., appeared in court and chose SANDERS LANE as their guardian. Court concurred and set bond at $4,000 with BRYAN LANE as security.

DAVID HOLMES, administrator on estate of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., gave notice for distribution. Court appointed LEARY STANLEY, BENJAMIN BRYAN, ALEXANDER SMITH, ALLEN SUTTEN, and C. T. WOODSON free holders to make distribution of said estate to distributees.

Page 199 - 11 Dec.1848: SANDERS LANE appointed guardian of H. LANE, CULLEN T. B. LANE, AVA JANE LANE, and JAMES H. C. LANE, minors and orphans of JAMES LANE, dec. Bond set at

$8,000 with WILEY LANE as security.

BRYAN LANE, administrator on estate of JAMES LANE, dec., gave notice of distribution. LEVI EZELL, B. BRYAN, LEARY STANLEY, E. EVANS, and JAMES RADFORD, free holders of this county, were appointed to make distribution to distributees.

Page 200 - 27 Dec.1848: AVNER BURNAM appointed guardian of person and property of MICHAEL W., JAMES R., ELIAS C., AILSEY E.E.C. HADDOCK, minor children of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec. Bond set at $70,000 with Mrs. MARY HADDOCK, DAVID M. HOLMES, JOHN C. WEST, WILLIAM C. HADDOCK, and SOLOMON HADDOCK as security.

Page 200 - 1 Jan.1849: NOTE: The entry previously entered on Page 194 - 6 Nov.1848 as pertains to estate of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., was duplicated here.

AUGUSTUS H. WIMBERLY, an orphan of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., appeared in court and chose EZEKIEL H. WIMBERLY as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $12,000 with JAMES POPE as security.

NARCISSA CLARK, a minor and orphan of JAMES CLARK, dec., appeared in court and chose ADAM T. HOLMES as her guardian. Court approved and set bond at $800 with JOHN J. HAMPTON as security.

Page 201 - 8 Jan.1849: BRYANT BATTON was elected Clerk of Court for the ensuing year.

W. K. PECOCK, an orphan of LEWIS PECOCK, late of the county of Cass, dec., chose JOHN PECOCK of this county as his guardian. Court approved and also added JOHN L. C. PECOCK another minor of the deceased to guardianship of said JOHN PECOCK. Bond was set at $5,000 with LEARY C. MANNING as security.

DAVID M. HOLMES, administrator of estate of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell the one-fourth interest in the factory and mills of said estate.

WILLIAM CHERRY appointed administrator of estate of ELVIRA O. HEARD, dec. Bond set at $1,500 with JACOB F. HEARD as security.

ANDREW J. HEARD, a minor, chose WILLIAM CHERRY as his guardian. Bond was set at $3,500 with JACOB F. HEARD and THOMAS DAWKINS as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians granted till next term of court to make their returns.

REDDING R. MINSHEW, executor of the Will of NATHAN MINSHEW, dec., was ordered to deliver a negro girl named Ester to EPHRAM P. HILL who was appointed trustee for management of said negro by the Orphans Court of Barber County, AL. Said negro having been given by said deceased in his Will to his daughter AVA HILL and her children.

REDDING R. MINSHEW, executor of last Will and testament of NATHAN MINSHEW, dec., was ordered to pay over to JOSEPH MINSHEW son of the deceased, the sum of $200. This being the amount the deceased gave in his Will to the children of said son and the son having been appointed guardian of his children by the Orphans Court of Barber County, AL.

ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK appointed administrator of estate of MATHEW SIMMONS, dec. Bond set at $2,000 with WILLIAM J. ANDERSON as security. WILLIAM J. ANDERSON, WILLIAM THOMPSON, MATHEW DAWSEY, JUDSON A. KENDRICK, and A. F. EDGEWOOD appointed to appraise said estate. Further said administrator was authorized to sell the perishable property of said estate on giving 15 days public notice.

JOHN S. WILKINSON, administrator of estate of ALATIA COLEY, dec., granted leave to sell an unmanagable negro man who is now in the woods.

NATHANIEL C. HUGHS, administrator of WILLIAM HUGHS, dec., requested leave tc remove his administration to Wilkinson County, the place of his residence. Court approved.

THOMAS J. MOORE appointed administrator of estate of MATILDA MOORE, dec. Bond set at $4,000 with CALVIN LEARY and JAMES W. BELVIN as security.

ELIJAH BUTTS, administrator of estate of JOHN TOMLINSON, dec., having completed his administration, was granted letters of dismission.

Page 203 - 5 Mar.1849: ANNA MARY and ELIZABETH JANE STEPHENS, over the age of 12, appeared in court and selected JOHN H. POWERS as their guardian. Court approved and set bond at $10,000 with CHARLES WEST as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians granted till next term of court to make their returns for year 1848.

GREEN LOVETT appointed administrator of estate of MICAJAH WILLIAMS, dec. Bond set at $2,000 with DANIEL W. PARR and CLABORN BATEMAN as security.

JOHN SMITH appointed administrator of estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec. Bond set at $7,000 with JAMES SMITH, SAMUEL CALWELL, and TURNER SMITH as security. E. M. HULSEY, WILLIAM H. IVEY, CHARLES Y. CALDWELL, TURNER SMITH and ALFRED NELSON appointed to appraise said estate.

GREEN HILL, WILLIAM SWIFT, GEORGE W. BIVENS, JAMES POOL, and ELIAS MIMS appointed to appraise the estate of MICAJAH WILLIAMS, dec.

EDWARD M. ENGRAM, a minor over age 14, in open court selected H. V. IRBEY as guardian and court approved. Bond was set at $13,000 with MATHEW GRACE and ISAAC HOLMES as security.

DAVID TOOKE appointed administrator of estate of MURDOCK M. SINGLETON, dec., and granted leave to sell said estate. Bond set at $1,000 with JOHN TOOKE and JAMES W. FELTS as security. DANIEL B. RHODES, WILLIAM S. COALSON, JOSEPH TOOKE, LUNSFORD PITTS, and E. H. WIMBERLY appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN SMITH, administrator of estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell all goods and chattels and to rent out the land and hire out the negroes of said estate.

MARTHA HANCOCK, administrator of estate of WILLIAM J. HANCOCK, dec., ordered to appear at next term of court to answer charges of mismanagement and why JAMES HANCOCK a security on her bond should not be dismissed.

JOHN G. HARGROVE, having fully settled with his ward HARDY H. HARGROVE, was dismissed from said guardianship.

NATHAN W. JONES was appointed administrator of the estate of his wife ELIZA JONES, dec. Bond and security was ruled as not required not being subject to distribution.

JOHN W. TODD appointed administrator of estate of JAMES TODD, late of the State of Texas, dec. Bond set at $1,200 with HENRY BARTON and ALLEN BARTON as security. JOEL WALKER, JOSIAH HODGES, JAMES A. SPERRY, NEDHAM SMITH and E. FINDLY appointed to appraise said estate.

JOSIAH H. FEDDER appointed administrator of estate of his wife MARY ANN E. FEDDER, dec. There being no distribution, bond and security was not required.

LEARY C. MANNING, guardian of NANCEY CLARK a minor of JAMES CLARK, dec., applied for letters of dismission from said guardianship. Court to take up at next term.

The last Will and testament of JAMES GRACE, dec., was produced in open court by MATHEW GRACE and EMANUEL McNEESE the executors and proven by affidavid of JOEL W. MANN, GEORGE F. COOPER Jr., subscribing witnesses and was admitted to record. LEARY C. MANNING, D. W. TAYLOR, JAMES W. FURLOW, A. J. BRIDGES, and DAVID M. BROWN appointed to appraise said estate,

WILLIAM R. BROWN appointed administrator of estate of GEORGE BUIST, dec. Bond set at $1,200 with SAMUEL FELDER as security. BRYANT BATTON, JOEL W. MANN, JOHN KILLEN, JAMES E. DUNCAN, and JOHN W. JOBSON appointed to appraise said estate.

ROBERT C. BRYAN administrator of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., directed to make title to REDDING STOKES for land lot #171, 3d Dist. of Dooly County and to pay for the cost of these proceedings. The deceased having in life time made bond conditioned to give titles and died before doing so.

BRYANT BATTON, administrator of estate of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec., granted leave to sell that portion of land of said estate that was set off and assigned to the widow for dower. It now being advantages to do so.

SEABORN M. MANNING petitioned the court to be removed as security of WILLIAM F. GRIFFEN as administrator on estate of ENOCH GRIFFEN, dec. Court issued a rule nisi for said administrator to appear at next term to show cause.

JOHN LIPTROTT, administrator of estate of COMILLA TALTON, dec., directed to reimburse from estate funds WILLIAM H. TALTON the sum of $154.63 for amounts he paid out for benefit of the estate.

TURNER SMITH, executor of last Will and testament of THOMAS SMITH, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

ELIJAH WILLIAMS, administrator upon the estate of JAMES HOLT, late of Baker County, dec., having completed his administration, was granted letters of dismission.

Page 208 - 12 Mar.1849: RICHARD TODD and JAMES C. TODD were received as security on the bond of JOHN W. TODD as administrator of estate of JAMES TODD, dec. Said securities were in lieu of HENRY BARTON and ALLEN BARTON who failed to sign.

MARK SMITH, a minor and orphan over age 14 of RICHARD SMITH, dec., came into court and chose WILLIAM IVEY as his guardian. Court apporved and set bond at $1,000 with his security to be approved at next term of court.

The last Will and testament of ISAAC TAYLOR, dec., was produced in court by WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR executors therein and proven by affidavid of MATHEW SHEPPARD and IRA T. HOBBS two of the witnesses thereto, and was admitted to record. IRA T. HOBBS, WILLIAM BURNAM, JAMES KENDRICK, A. J. BRIDGES, and JOHN S. WEST appointed to appraise said estate.

DAVID M. HOLMES, administrator of estate of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., was ordered to pay Mrs. MARY HADDOCK, widow, the sum of $150 for her support out of said estate. It appearing to the court that 12 months had not elapsed from the death of the deceased and all perishable property including provisions were sold by said administrator without reserving a support for the widow and family of said deceased. Further that said widow had purchased provision to the amount of $250 out of which the estate supported until division of negroes and appointment of guardians for the children.

AMY KELLY, widow and executrix of the Will of JAMES M. KELLY, dec., produced said Will in open court and WILLIAM B. PENNEL and WILLIAM D. WHITEHEAD two of the subscribing witnesses and AMY KELLY the executrix having been duly qualified, was admitted to record. JAMES E. DUNCAN, JOHN KILLEN, JAMES W. BELVIN, WARREN E. SANDERS, and JOHN JONES were appointed to apprise said estate.

EDWARD McGEHEE appointed guardian of HENRY CLARK, a minor and orphan. Bond set at $600 with JOHN T. COLEMAN as security.

Court granted JESSE R. HORNE, administrator of JAMES C. HORNE, dec., till next term of court to make his annual return.

EDWARD EUBANKS, guardian of SARAH CLARK who is a member of his family and a minor of JAMES CLARK, dec., having removed to Dooly County was authorized to remove said guardianship for this county to Dooly County.

The last Will and testament of GEORGE VINSON, dec., was proven in vacation and admitted to record. GEORGE W. VINSON qualified as executor. WILLIAM AVERY, ENOCH COLLENS, NICHODEMUS THOMPSON, DANIEL MURRAY, and ADIN HAMILTON appointed to apprise said estate.

JAMES CROSS and MARY A. JOHNSON granted letters of administration on estate of RICHARD JOHNSON, Jr., dec. Bond set at $30,000 with WILLIAM SMITH and WILLIAM KINCHEN as security. DEMPSEY BROWN, STEPHEN BROWN, HUGH LAWSON, JOHN W. CROSS, and CURTIS LEARY appointed to appraise said estate.

LEARY C. MANNING, guardian of NANCEY CLARK a minor of JAMES CLARK, dec., having completed his guardianship was granted letters of dismission.

The petition of CHARLES Y. CALDWELL stated that RICHARD SMITH, dec., did in lifetime execute to EASON JOINER his bond conditioned to execute to said EASON JOINER titles for 100 acres of land lot #41, 10 Dist., which lies on the east side of a road from the Houston Factory to Fort Valley and that said deceased departed this life without executing titles although purchase money had been paid him. Further that said EASON JOINER for a valuable consideration assigned said bond to said petitioner who now request that JOHN SMITH administrator be directed to issue titles. Court directed that notice be posted in three or more public places why said titles should not be granted.

It appearing to this court that a paper without date was presented, proven and admitted to record at the last term of court as the last Will and testament of ISAAC TAYLOR, dec., that testamony by MATHEW SHEPPARD and IRA L. HOBBS was in common form and their being another witness DANIEL BRIDGES. Further that said deceased for a multitude of reasons given, infirm, deaf, palsey of the head, unsound mind and memory, etc., was incapable of making a Will. Court ordered a rule nisi be served on WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR as executors named therein to show cause at next term of court why said Will should not be set aside.

Extensions to make annual returns at next term of court granted JOSEPH TOOKE as executor of ALLEN TOOKE, dec., and TERRELL PERRY as executor of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec.

The petition and affidavid of JOHNATHAN A. D. COLEY stated that RICHARD N. WESTBROOK is a lunatic and incapable of managing his affairs and has a large property both real and personal subject to waste. Further that he has given notice to the nearest relatives of said RICHARD N. WESTBROOK agreeable to the statutes. Court appointed GEORGE F. COOPER MD, EDWARD T. McGEHEE MD, FOWLER HOLT MD, WILLIAM S. TOWNSEND MD, GREEN HILL, JOHN L. PARKER, SAMUEL FELDER, ARTHUR WATSON, GEORGE W. SMITH, JOEL W. MANN, FRANCES W. JOBSON, WILLIAM R. BROWN, WILLIAM BROWN, JONES KENDRICK, JESSE D. HAVIS, DURHAM BOWEN, WILLIAM SUMMERFORD, and TILMAN DOWNS as commissioners to try said RICHARD N. WESTBROOK for alledged lunacy.

Page 212 - 2 Jul.1849: Whereas at the March Term the last Will of ISAAC TAYLOR, dec., was

profounded by WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR the executors therein named and upon testamony of MATHEW SHEPHARD and IRA T. HOBB two of the subscribing witnesses proven in common form and admitted to record. Whereas at May Term said probate was by order of said court at the instance of ALLEN BRIDGES in right of his wife ARDILLACY formerly ARDILLACY TAYLOR and WILLIAM BARRON in right of his wife NICEY formerly NICEY TAYLOR daughters of said testator called in and said executors required to prove the said Will in solemn form. Now comes WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR executors by their attorney at law SAMUEL D. KILLEN and propounds said last Will of said ISAAC TAYLOR, dec., for solemn probate and record and hereby the said ALLEN BRIDGES and WILLIAM BARRON in right of their wives to show cause if any why the same should not be established and pronounced for as the true last Will and testament of said ISAAC TAYLOR, dec. And now come ALLEN BRIDGES in right of his wife ARDILLACIA BRIDGES formerly ARDILLACIA TAYLOR by their attorneys WARREN & FRANKS with a long list of alligations covering one and a half pages of court minutes why the deceased was incapable of making a just Will. After what appeared to be a lengthy hearing in which the three subscribing witnesses MATHEW SHEPHARD, IRA T. HOBBS and DANIEL BRIDGES were examined and cross examined by ALLEN BRIDGES and WILLIAM BARRON and the introduction of other unnamed witnesses court ruled that the Will stood proven and properly admitted to record. Further ordered that WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR recover from ALLEN BRIDGES the sum of $14.87 for their costs in this case.

ALLEN BRIDGES & Wife and WILLIAM BARRON & Wife vs WILLIAM C. TAYLOR & JOHN W. TAYLOR, Executors: In the matter of the last Will and testament of ISAAC TAYLOR, dec. The plaintiff ALLEN BRIDGES & Wife and WILLIAM BARRON & Wife being dissatisfied with judgement of the court in the above case and having paid all costs, and demanded an appeal bringing SAMUEL FELDER and tender him as their security.

HINANT BYRD appointed administrator of estate of ALLEN MORRIS, late of State of Louisiana, dec. Bond set at $400 with JAMES MURRAY as security.

JESSE R. HORNE, administrator upon estate of JAMES HORNE, dec., being unable to make his return was granted until January next to do so.

WILLIAM S. MOORE granted letters of dismission from administration of the estate of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec.

ADIN HAMILTON appointed administrator of estate of DREWRY FINNEY, dec. Bond set at $1,600 with WILLIAM J. HAMILTON as security. GEORGE W. VINSON, ENOCH COLLINS, JAMES MURRAY, JOHN FORSHEE, and AMONS YOUNG appointed appraisers of said estate.

JAMES H. McBRIDE appointed administrator of estate of THOMAS H. McBRIDE, late soldier in the US Army in Mexico, dec. Bond set at $500 with BARNETT HOLLOMAN as security.

Court ordered that THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., pay over to JANE VINSON, former widow of the deceased, who intermarried with JOSIAH VINSON all the money arising from said estate due said VINSON in right of his wife. Said JOSIAH VINSON having more than seven years ago left his wife and has never been heard from and he has failed to claim this money in response to public notice.

JAMES MURRAY, administrator of the estate of DAVID DUNN, dec., granted leave to sell the east half of lot #85, 9th Dist. as property of said estate.

The return of the commissioners dated 7 May 1849, who were appointed to examine RICHARD N. WESTBROOK, found him to be a lunatic and incapable of managing his affairs, and was signed by WILLIAM S. TOWNSEND MD, GEORGE F. COOPER MD, WILLIAM SUMMERFORD, FRANCES W. JOBSON, WILLIAM R. BROWN, WILLIAM BROWN, JONES KENDRICK, FOWLER HOLT MD, JOHN L. PARKER, GEORGE W. SMITH, ARTHUR WATSON, and JOEL W. MANN. He being possessed of considerable property court appointed JOHNATHAN A. D. COALY of Pulaski County as his guardian. Bond set at $30,000 with JOSEPH TOOKE as security. Court further ordered the guardian to take all necessary steps to keep up the farm and authorized he be reimbursed from estate funds the sum of $71.56 the cost laid out by him in this proceeding.

Page 218 - 10 Sep.1849: The petition of DAVID GOODMAN stated that RICHARD JOHNSON Jr., dec., while in life executed to said petitioner his bond conditioned to execute titles for land lot #74, 13th Dist., and said deceased departed this life without executing title after said petitioner had fully paid for same. Court ordered that notice be given in the Georgia Telegraph once a month for 3 months so that all persons concerned may file objections why JAMES CROSS, administrator and MARY A. JOHNSON, administratrix should not execute titles in conformity with said bond.

CHARLES HAMLIN and his wife HARRIET HAMLIN formerly HARRIET THOMPSON daughter of ISHAM WRIGHT, dec., by their attorney SHEPHARD RODGERS stated that at the January 1843 Term of Court a paper proposed to be the last Will of said deceased was proven in common form by the affidavid of one WILLIAM B. BALL and ELIZABETH WRIGHT and ENOS YOUNG the executrix and executor in and by said pretended Will have failed to cite the parties interested in the estate. Court ordered that the said executors show cause at next term of court why the prented Will should not be set aside and said deceased pronounced to have died intestate and an administrator appointed.

JOHN W. SMITH and JAMES SMITH, administrators of estate of WILLIAM SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate and negroes of said estate.

BRYAN LANE, administrator of estate of JAMES LANE, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

MARCUS H. BUNN, JAMES B. McMURRAY, STERLING W. EXUM, LAWRENCE SAWLS, and ALLEN BARTON appointed to appraise the estate of RHODY FLOWERS, dec.

The last Will and testament of ELIJAH FINLEY, dec., was proven and admitted to record. DAVID ADAMS one of the executors named therein was qualified. NEEDHAM SMITH, ROLEN MESSER, THOMAS POLLOCK, JACOB SASSER, and CARLTON WELLBORN appointed to appraise said estate.

AVNER BURNAM appointed administrator of estates of LEWIS W. BURNAM, dec., and of MICHAEL W. HADDOCK, dec. ELIJAH BURNAM and WILLIAM BURNAM were named as security on his bond (amount not stated). JAMES A. SPIVEY, J. W. C. HORNE, HAMILTON HARVEY, LUKE LAMB, and JAMES L. CALDWELL appointed to appraise estate of LEWIS W. BURNAM, dec. LEARY STANLEY, C. T. WOODSON, ALLEN SUTTEN, R. W. BASKIN, and ALEXANDER SMITH appointed to divide and appraise the estate of MICHAEL HADDOCK, dec.

JAMES G. BASKIN appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM L. HADDOCK, dec. Bond set at $12,000 with R. W. BASKIN as security. IVEY BROOKS, DANIEL B. BATEMAN, JOHN T. COOPER, WILLIAM O. BASKIN, and EDWARD A. HARVEY appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN SMITH administrator of estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell the lands and negroes of said estate subject to widows dower.

JOHN SUTTEN and HENRY McKENZIE executors of WILLIAM McKENZIE, dec., granted leave to sell a town lot in the village of Travellers Rest, Dooly County, known as Lampkins Lot.

TERRELL PERRY, executor of HENRY WIMBERLY, dec., granted leave to sell all the land lying in Thomas County belonging to said estate.

RUBIN M. HARGROVE, administrator of estate of WILLIAM M. HARGROVE, dec., granted leave to sell all the land belonging to said estate.

At May Term of Court, CHARLES Y. CALDWELL filed a petition to direct JOHN SMITH, administrator of RICHARD SMITH, dec., to execute title to lot #41, 10th Dist. which lies on east side of a road leading from Houston Factory to Fort Valley and one acre on west side of said road in SE corner of said deceased's land and where on houses are built, the whole containing 100 acres more or less. Legal notice having been published and no objections filed court ordered said administrator to execute titles to said petitioner and to pay the costs of these proceedings.

ROBERT B. ENGRAM, guardian of WILLIAM CLARK and FRANCES CLARK, was ordered to show cause at next term of court why DREWRY W. TAYLOR should not be dismissed as security on his bond. Said security having stated to the court that said guardian was mismanaging the estate of his wards.

Page 221 - 12 Oct.1849: DAVID TOOKE appointed guardian of MARY SINGLETON and MALISSA ANN STEWART of WINRIGHT STEWART, late of the State of Alabama, dec. Said wards now being residents of this county and having chosen said guardian. Bond set at $2,000 with NATHAN B. WAMBLE and JAMES O. HODGES as security.

REUBIN M. HARGROVE, administrator of WILLIAM M. HARGROVE, dec., requested commissioners be appointed to distribute to the widow and two children (without guardian) the proceeds of the estate. Court appointed ROBERT W. BASKIN, SILAS RAWLS, SAMUEL H. J. SISTRUNK, GEORGE MONZINGO, and JOHN W. COOPER to appraise and divide said estate and appointed said REUBIN M. HARGROVE as agent to represent the minor children.

Page 222 - 12 Nov.1849: WILLIAM SUMMERFORD appointed guardian of person and property of DANIEL PATTISHALL, ARABELLA PATTISHALL, and SARAH PATTISHALL, minor children of JOSHUA PATTISHALL, dec. Bond set at $25,000 with ELI WARREN, P.B.D.H. CULLEN, and ISAAC LOFTEN as security.

IVY BROOKS, guardian of person and property of orphans of JAMES JONES, dec., having removed from county of Monroe to Houston and having presented records of his actings and doings as such guardian in the Court of Ordinary, Monroe County, was granted leave to make his annual report to this county. Bond was given for $17,000.

NATHAN G. LEWIS, administrator of estate of DANIEL LOFLEY, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and negroes of said estate.

E. H. WIMBERLY, guardian of AUGUSTUS H. WIMBERLY, granted leave to sell all the land of his ward.

MARY JERKINS, administratrix on estate of REASON JERKINS, dec., applied for appointment of commissioners. Court appointed B. T. COLYER, JOSEPH HARPER, WILLIAM DUPREE, SEABORN M. BATEMAN and JACOB W. GOFF as commissioners to appraise and distribute said estate.

THOMAS N. JOHNSON a minor and orphan of RICHARD JOHNSON, Jr. dec., being of legal age chose MARY A. JOHNSON as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $7,000 with JOHN CROSS and THOMAS GRACE as security.

WILLIAM W. JOHNSON and QUINTINE T. JOHNSON, minors of RICHARD JOHNSON Jr., dec., came into court and chose HUGH LAWSON as their guardian. Bond set at $14,000 with DEMPSEY BROWN and JAMES SMITH as security.

A. D. KENDRICK, administrator of MATHEW SIMONS, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said deceased.

AVNER BURNAM, guardian of minors of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell certain town lots in Fort Valley belonging to estate of the deceased.

ADIN HAMILTON, administrator of estate of DREWRY FINEY, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate and negroes of said estate.

P.B.D.H. CULLER, guardian of orphans of JOHN J. CULLER, dec., authorized to hire out George, a negro man slave, to JOHN GOLSON and permit him to carry said negro to State of Alabama provided he gives bond in sum of $1,400 for delivery of said negro to said guardian when ever called upon.

At September Term of Court a rule nisi was granted requiring ELIZABETH WRIGHT, executrix and ENOS YOUNG, executor, appearing on a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will of ISHAM WRIGHT, dec., to show cause why said deceased should not be pronounced to have died intestate, etc. Said rule nisi having been served and said executrix and executor having failed to show any cause it was ordered that said probate so made in common form be set aside and said executrix and executor cite the interested parties in the estate to see proceedings and prove said Will in solomn form at next term of court.

LEARY C. MANNING and GILES COAL, administrators on estate of MATHEW GRACE, dec., having fully administered said estate applied for discharge. Court ordered all persons concerned to show cause on the first Monday in July next why letters of dismission should not be granted.

JAMES P. HAMERICK, guardian of person and property of MARY F. TODD, having settled in full with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

SEABORN C. BRYAN, guardian of person and property of LUCINDA PERRY, MARY ANN PERRY, and ELLIFAIN PERRY, minors and orphans, having faithfully discharged his trust was granted letters of dismission.

Page 225 - 14 Jan.1850: JOEL LOFTEN, B. H. RUTHERFORD, M. H. BUNN, JOHN T. COOPER, and C. T. WOODSON appointed commissioners to divide estate of M. E. ANDERSON, dec., between the surviving legatees to wit JOHN H. RUTHERFORD in right of his wife formerly S. M. ANDERSON, SAMUEL F. ANDERSON, and WILLIAM F. ANDERSON elder orphans of T. W. ANDERSON, dec.

ROBERT W. BASKIN, guardian of minors of JOSEPH CULPEPPER, dec., granted leave to sell all land belonging to said minors.

Page 226 - 18 Jan.1850: AVNER BURNAM, administrator of estate of LEWIS W. BURNAM, dec., for benefit of widow and minor children, granted permission to retain the property togeather on the farm until such time that a distribution can be made among legatees.

AVNER BURNAM, administrator of estate of MICHAEL W. HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

ROBERT C. BRYAN, administrator of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., granted leave to sell all the land belonging to said deceased lying in this state out of Houston County.

ELIZABETH BURKETT a minor and orphan selected in open court JOHN BRYAN as guardian. Court approped and set bond at $1,000 with ROBERT C. BRYAN as security.

All executors, administrators, and guardians have till next term of court to make their annual returns for 1849.

LEARY C. MANING appointed guardian of person and property of SARAH JANE and SAMUEL J. GRACE, minors of MATHEW GRACE, dec., under age 12. Bond set at $2,000 with DAVID M. BROWN as security.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of estate of JOHN MERCER, dec., having fully administered said estate applied for letters of dismission. Court noting that he had $102.34 remaining from said estate and no person having claimed the same, ordered that he have leave and be authorized to retain said sum in his hands at an interest of 4% pa until further orders of this court.

Mrs SARAH GRACE applied for compensation to support and maintain SARAH JANE GRACE, THOMAS McDONALD GRACE, and SAMUEL J. GRACE, infant children of MATHEW GRACE, dec., for year 1849. Court ordered LEARY C. MANING and GILES COAL administrators to pay said petitioner $105 for support of said three infants.

MIRANDA GRACE and MATHEW T. GRACE, minor children of MATHEW GRACE, dec., appeared in open court and chose CHARLES WEST as their guardian. Court approved and set bond at $2,000 with EMANUEL McNEACE and THOMAS GRACE as security.

THOMAS McDONALD GRACE, a minor of MATHEW GRACE, dec., of the age of seven years being entitled to property from estate of said deceased - Court appointed WILLIAM GRACE as his guardian. Bond set at $1,000 with SARAH GRACE and JOHN EDMONSON as security.

ELIZABETH PACE, widow of THOMAS PACE, dec., appointed guardian of person and property of HARIETT REBECCA, ANN MARY, THOMAS, and MARGARETT JANE PACE, minor children of the deceased. Bond set at $6,000.

ALLEN SUTTEN appointed guardian of person and property of CHARLES SMITH a minor and son of WILLIAM SMITH, late of Tennessee, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with ROBERT C. BRYAN as security.

EDMOND J. McGEHEE appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM E. BELL, dec. Bond set at $3,200 with SAMUEL FELDER as security. HUGH ALLEN, ROBERT C. REDDING, ELIAS MIMS, WILLIAM JOHNSON, and H. BYRD appointed to appraise said estate.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator on estate of WILLIAM WILEY, dec., having fully administered said estate and having paid over to JANE WARD formerly JANE VINSON the sum of $239.35, was granted letters of dismission.

Court reviewed the rule nisi calling upon ROBERT B. ENGRAM guardian of WILLIAM CLARK and FRANCES CLARK to show cause why DREWRY W. TAYLOR the security on the guardians bond should not be discharged. Court then proceeded to discharge said security from further liability and ordered said guardian to pay for these proceedings and to post new bond and security at next term of court or that his said guardianship be revolked.

At September Term of Court 1849 the petition of DAVID GOODMAN appeared to the court that RICHARD JOHNSON Jr.,dec., while in life executed to said petitioner his bond conditioned to execute titles in fee simple to said petitioner for land lot #74, 13 Dist. and said deceased departed this life without having executed said titles and the whole of the purchase money having been paid. The same having been advertised according to law, court ordered JAMES CROSS, administrator and MARY A. JOHNSON, administratrix to execute said titles and to pay the cost of these proceedings.

Page 229 - 29 Jan.1850: The last Will and testament of ISHAM WRIGHT, dec., being presented for probate in solemn form and the executors having previously proved the same by WILLIAM B. BALL in common form and the statue in such cases made and provided requiring that all divises and bequests of land and tenaments shall be attested and subscribed by three or four credible witnesses in the presence of the divisor and the executors having failed to provide all the witnesses to said Will in court and prove the due execution of the same by said witnesses. It is therefore ordered that said Will is good and valid in law and has been sufficiently proven so far as related to the personal property therein bequeathed and that said Will is null and void as relates to the real property therein attempted to be divised and bequeathed and court further ordered that any administrator with the Will annexed who may be appointed to pay the cost of this proceeding.

Page 230 - 4 Mar.1850: HINNANT BYRD, administrator of ALLEN MORRIS, dec., applied for letters of dismission. Court ordered said request to be published according to law.

GREEN B. LOVETT, administrator of MICAJAH WILLIAMS, dec., applied for letters of dismission. Court ordered said request to be published according to law.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, guardian of NANCY WHEELER formerly NANCY THOMAS and minor of DIXON THOMAS, dec., having fully settled with RICHARD WHEELER the husband of said minor, applied for letters of dismission. Court ordered said request to be published according to law.

HARRISON V. IRBEY, guardian of EDWARD W. ENGRAM minor, applied for letters of dismission. Court ordered that said request be published in Macon Telegraph for the space of forty days.

HARDY HUNTER, guardian of AMANDA MOORE and NANCY MOORE minors, applied for letters of dismission. Court ordered said request be published in Macon Telegraph at least forty days.

All executors, administrators, guardians granted further time to make their returns for 1849.

It appearing to the court by the petition of IRWIN WALDEN and HUGH WALDEN that

RICHARD JOHNSON, dec., and WILLIAM SMITH did execute to said petitioners their bond conditioned to execute titles in fee simple to said petitioners for land lots #56 & 57 in 3rd Dist. of Dooly County and that said deceased departed this life without executing titles to said land and that said petitioners have paid the amount of purchase for said land. Court ordered notice to be published so that all concerned may file objection why JAMES CROSS administrator and MARY A. JOHNSON administratrix should not join with WILLIAM SMITH and execute said titles.

EZEKIEL WIMBERLY appointed administrator of estate of LAURA P. M. FORT, dec. Bond set at $20,000 with JOHN J. WIMBERLY and R. C. BRYAN as security. JOHN J. WIMBERLY, E. A. WIMBERLY, WILSON SMITH, ALLEN WILLIAMS, and ROBERT C. BRYAN appointed to appraise said estate.

DAVID ADAMS, executor of estate of ELIJAH FINDLY, dec., granted leave to sell land lot #103 in Stewart County and one town lot in Lumpkin, Stewart County, and land lot #83 in Houston County belonging to said estate.

The executors of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., having made a mistake in their return for 1848 were allowed to amend said return.

JOHN PECOCK, guardian of DAVID W. K. and JOHN C. L. PECOCK, minors of LEWIS PECOCK, dec., granted leave to hire out the negroes belonging to the minors, at private hiring.

JOHN W. WOOLFOLK appointed administrator of estate of DANIEL GUNN, dec. Bond set at $150,000 with MATILDA GUNN, WILLIAM H. BYRUM and JOHN J. WIMBERLY as security. BENJAMIN RUTHERFORD, B. GRAY, WILLIAM CLARKE, PHILIP J. LAMAR, and ISAAC LOFTEN appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN H. POWERS, guardian of A. M. and E. J. STEVENS now E. J. FRANKS, having fully settled with the husband was granted letters of dismission.

JAMES G. BASKIN, administrator of estate of WILLIAM L. HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

DREWRY W. TAYLOR having been dismissed as security on bond of ROBERT B. ENGRAM as guardian of FRANCES and WILLIAM CLARKE. Court approved new bond by said guardian in sum of $1,200 with JOHN H. POWERS and SAMUEL FELDER as security.

JOHN SUTTEN and HENRY McKENZIE executors of estate of WILLIAM McKENZIE, dec., authorized to appropriate and invest such portions of the disposable funds that may come into their hands from purchase of negroes, horses, etc.

HULDAH A. ALDRIDGE appointed administrator of estate of THOMAS B. ALDRIDGE, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with FRANCES W. JOBSON as her security. JAMES E. DUNCAN, SAMUEL FELDER, JOHN G. WHITE, WARREN E. SANDERS, and JOHN JONES appointed to appraise said estate. Court further ordered that $125 be set aside out of the estate for support of the widow HULDAH A. ALDRIDGE for one year from time of the deceased death.

ROBERT B. ENGRAM petitioned the court to be dismissed from security on bond of IRWIN WALDEN as guardian of HOWARD CLARKE, a minor of JAMES CLARKE, dec. Said guardian now residing in Dooly County. Court ordered said guardian be served to appear at next term of court to show cause why the petitioner's request should not be granted and a new bond and security given. NOTE: The Will of JAMES CLARK and many references previously given to his children did not use the spelling "Clarke" with an "e" at the end.

It appearing to the court that E. WILLIAMS, administistrator of JAMES HOLT, dec., did upon settlement with JOHN TOOKE who intermarried with the widow of the deceased did commit an error in failing to pay to said TOOKE the sum of $70.70 which error after detection was corrected and payed but failed to obtain a voucher from said TOOKE. Court ordered that the administrator be given a credit for said sum in his returns for 1849 with interest from 1 Jan.1848 when said money was paid.

Court appointed ISAAC C. WEST as guardian of CHARLES BUTLER, A. BUTLER, C. BUTLER, and JOSIAH BUTLER, children of CHAMPION BUTLER, dec. in order that he may receive $1150 belonging to the children now in hands of JOSIAH WHITHURST. Bond set at $2,500 with CHARLES WHITHURST as security.

EDWARD EUBANKS who heretofore was appointed guardian of HENRY CLARKE and SARAH CLARKE minors of JAMES CLARKE, dec., and gave bond in sum of $1,200 with HENRY HARRELL as security and since which time EDWARD T. McGEHEE was appointed guardian of HENRY CLARKE one of said minors and received from said EDWARD EUBANKS his full share of said estate. It is ordered that the original bond of EDWARD EUBANKS is hereby fully canceled and annulled upon his giving new bond for guardianship of SARAH CLARKE in sum of $600.

MARSHAL R. GILBERT being of age and having intermarried with SUSANNAH WOODWARD, daughter of JOHN WOODWARD, dec., applied for distribution of said estate in right of his wife. Court appointed MORRIS POLLOCK, LEWIS POLLOCK, EZEKIEL WIMBERLY, JOHN J. WIMBERLY, and JAMES WOODWARD as freeholders of this county, as commissioners to divide and distrib-

ute said estate and further ordered that THOMAS WOODWARD, administrator of said estate represent the minors in said distribution.

Page 234 - 5 Mar.1850: WILLIAM B. BRYAN appointed administrator of estate of CORDY D. STOKES, dec. Bond set at $20,000 with SILVANUS S. BRYAN and WILLIAM S. MOORE as security. E. A. HARVEY, R. W. BASKIN, ELIS HARDEN, DAVID HALLABURTON, and WILLIAM P. MOUNT appointed to appraise said estate.

P235 - 6 May 1850: HENRY BUNN filed a petition requesting a commission be appointed to examin JERRYMIAH BUNN for alledged idiocy and being incapable to manage his affairs. Said JERRYMIAH BUNN having considerable property both real and personal subject to waste. Court appointed CHARLES F. PATTILLO MD, E. K. HODGES, JAMES O. HODGES, LUNSFORD PITTS, WILLIAM S. COALSON, JOSEPH TOOKE, TERRELL PERRY, RICHARD REDDY, ALEXANDER EVERETT, HUGH LAWSON, JAMES K. SHINES, ADAM T. HOLMES, JOHN W. BABB, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, SIMION HARRISON, WILEY KEMP, A.A. HORNE, and AUGUSTUS JETER as commissioners to meet at Haynesville on the 29th instant to examine said JERRYMIAH BUNN and make return to this court at first Monday in July next.

The report of the commissioners appointed to distribute the estate of REASON JERKINS, dec., was received and ordered recorded.

The report of the commissioners appointed to divide the estate of JOHN WOODWARD, dec., and assign to MARSHALL R. GILBERT his distributive share in right of his wife was received and ordered recorded. Said MARSHALL R. GILBERT to pay $4.75 for cost in his behalf.

HARRISON V. IRBY, guardian of EDWARD W. ENGRAM a minor, having petitioned for letters of dismission which were published in the Georgia Telegraph for 40 days, was granted said letters.

HARDY HUNTER, guardian of AMANDA MOORE and NANCY MOORE minors and orphans of PLEASENT MOORE, dec., having completed his trust was granted letters of dismission.

REDDING MINSHEW, executor of Will of NATHAN MINSHEW, dec., having completed his assignment was granted letters of dismission.

The last Will and testament of SAMUEL KING, dec., having been produced by THOMAS KING as executor therein and proven by oath of THOMAS H. KING one of the subscribing witnesses, was admitted to record. STEPHEN CASTELLO, JACOB W. BASON, M. T. TAYLOR, ALLEN ALBRITTON, and WILLIAM HERINGTON were appointed to appraise said estate.

The last Will and testament of HENRY McLAMORE, dec., having been produced by WILLIAM H. SMITH and JOSEPH KEMP executors therein and proved by the subscribing witnesses, was admitted to record. NATHAN HOLOMON, JAMES E. PRICE, THADEOS GLOVER, JOHN ADKINS, and WILLIAM SIMONS were appointed to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM H. SMITH and JOSEPH KEMP, executors of HENRY McLAMORE, dec., granted leave to sell the personal and perishable property conveyed to the children in said Will.

WILLIAM SMITH contested the application of THOMAS POLLOCK for administration of estate of RISDEN SMITH, dec., stating said applicant was neither kin nor creditor of the deceased. Said petitioner further stated that he being the father of the deceased and the deceased leaving no wife or children, should be appointed as administrator. THOMAS POLLOCK then in petition to the court stated that WILLIAM SMITH the father of said RISDON, dec., is old and infirm and without necessary strength of body or mind necessary to discharge the administration of said estate and as temporary administrator he has commenced suit against the claims of WILLIAM SMITH on the property and that there are other heirs equally entitled with the father to share in the estate. Court overruled the caveat of WILLIAM SMITH and appointed THOMAS POLLOCK as administrator. Bond set at $30,000 with ALEXANDER SMITH, NEDHAM SMITH, JOSHIAH HODGES, and GAROT SMITH as security. Court further appointed JOSIAH HANCOCK, C. T. WOODSON, JOEL WALKER, BARNETT HOLLOMAN and AMONS OPRY to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM SMITH, father of RISDEN SMITH, dec., being dissatisfied with the judgement order in the matter of appointing THOMAS POLLOCK as administrator of said estate, entered an appeal, paid all costs and tendered JOHN JAMES WIMBERLY as his security.

The petition of CARY S. COX stated that JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., in his lifetime was owner of land lots #8, 10, 24, & 72, 25th Dist., of originally Lee now Marion County and containing 810 acres which the deceased sold to the petitioner. He further stated the land was paid for except for the last payment which when due the petitioner gave a lien to ALLEN WALKER for $800 to borrow the payment money and said final payment was made to the Agent of the deceased on 17 Mar.1848. Said Agent then transferred the deed of the Sheriff of Stewart County to ALLEN WALKER. Further the estate of ALLEN WALKER, dec., has since been paid the $800 and has no further claim or interest on the land. The petitioner further asked that TURNER C. EVERETT, executor of the estate of said JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., convey deed for said land to the petitioner. /s/ S. B. SMITH, Attorney for petitioner. There followed a certificate or lien dated 17 Mar.1848 Georgia, Stewart County, in which JAMES A. EVERETT of Houston County for $800 paid by ALLEN WALKER of Talbot County

Georgia conveyed to said ALLEN WALKER lots #8, 10, 24, and 72, 25th Dist., originally Lee now Stewart County - which was granted by the within deed of DANIEL MATHISON late Sheriff of Stewart County. /s/ JAMES A. EVERETT per T. C. EVERETT, Agent. Also following was a statement dated 2 May 1850 by C. S. COX before HENRY JONES, Justice of the Inferior Court of Talbot County in which CARY S. COX as executor of ALLEN WALKER, dec., repeated much of the forgoing and certifing he had fully paid the estate of ALLEN WALKER, dec., the $800 and said estate has no interest or rights to said lands. Court then directed that said executor of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., will be directed at March term to make titles if no objections are filed.

Page 241 - 1 Jul.1850: WILEY LANE, guardian of JAMES H. WALL, a minor of JESSE WALL, dec. having fully settled with his ward was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, guardian of NANCY WHEELER daughter of DIXON THOMAS, dec., having fully settled with RICHARD WHEELER her husband, was granted letters of dismission.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON appointed administrator of estate of HARDY JOHNSON, dec. Bond set at $200 with DAVID O. SMITH as security.

JOHN PATE, minor and orphan of JOHN PATE, dec., being of legal age chose WILLIAM H. SMITH as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $200 with MATHEW HOLLOMON as his security.

The commission appointed at 6 May 1850 term of court to examine JERAMIAH W. BUNN for idiocy, reported they convened at Hayneville on 29 May 1850 and after due inspection and examination of said JERAMIAH W. BUNN and upon oath of A. T. HOLMES, C. F. PATTILLO, and JOSEPH TOOKE, found him to be an idiot so far as not being capable of managing his affairs. /s/ CHARLES F. PATTILLO, ALEXANDER EVERETT, J. O. HODGES, A. M. HORNE, A. T. HOLMES, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, RICHARD REDDY, JOSEPH TOOKE, WILEY KENT, TERRELL PERRY, JAMES K. SHINES, S. HARISON. Court then appointed HENRY BUNN as guardian of the person and property of JEREMIAH W. BUNN. Bond set at $40,000 with HUGH LAWSON and MARCUS BUNN as security. Court further authorized HENRY BUNN as guardian to retain out of estate funds the amount of $118.75 for expenses incurred.

Page 242 - 2 Sep.1850: JOHN A. ALMAN, guardian of person and property of MARY and MARTHA O'NEAL, having fully executed his trust, applied for letters of dismission.

LEARY STANLY, administrator on estate of JOSEPH BALDWIN, dec., having fully settled said estate was granted letters of dismission.

WILLIAM C. TAYLOR and JOHN W. TAYLOR, executors of estate of ISAAC TAYLOR, dec., granted leave to hire out by private contract, the negroes of said estate.

JEFFERSON JOHNSON appointed administrator of estate of WILLIAM B. TAFF, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with ELIJAH STEWARD as security.

JOHN T. COOPER appointed administrator of estate of JOHN W. COOPER, dec. Bond set at $26,000 with GEORGE F. COOPER, JESSE M. COOPER, and AUGUSTIN COOPER as security. SILAS RAWLS, JAMES TURENTINE, JOHN M. CHASTAIN, GEORGE F. RILEY, and JAMES J. H. SISTRUNK were appointed to appriase said estate.

JANE E. RICE, widow of CHARLES H. RICE, late of Baldwin County, dec., was appointed administratrix of said estate. Bond set at $2,000 with JAMES H. HODGES as security. HOWELL COBB, P.B.D.H. CULLER, E. T. MANN, F. W. JOBSON, and JOHN S. JOBSON appointed to appraise said estate.

MERRELL THOMAS appointed guardian of the property of MISSOURI MINSHEW daughter of NATHAN MINSHEW of Alabama and CATHERINE MINSHEW daughter of JOSEPH MINSHEW of Alabama. Bond set at $1,000 with THOMAS POLLOCK as security.

BENNETT TULL, guardian of FRANCIS M. TULL a minor and orphan of ARTHUR TULL, dec., having advertised in the Georgia Telegraph for four months, was granted leave to sell 150 acres in land lot =74, 10th Dist., and a part of two other adjoining lots, as property of said ward.

THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator of estate of JOHN MERCER, dec., having fully settled said estate was granted letters of dismission.

Page 244 - 16 Sep.1850: NATHAN HOLLOMAN appointed guardian of person and property of NATHAN HOLLOMAN a minor and orphan son of Z. HOLLOMAN, dec. Bond set at $1,000.

JAMES CROSS administrator and MARY A. JOHNSON administratrix of the estate of RICHARD JOHNSON, dec., granted leave to sell land lots #167, 166, 129, 128 each containing 202½ acres, plus 42 acres of lot #168 and 45 acres of lot #127, all in 13th Dist.

Page 245 - 4 Nov.1850: ROBERT C. BRYAN, administrator on estate of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., applied for appointment of commissioner to divide said estate. Court appointed THOMAS GILBERT, LEARY STANLEY and MERDIETH JOINER for this purpose.

HUGH LAWSON, guardian of minors of ROBERT HOLTON, dec., applied for appointment of commissioners to divide and distribute the property belonging to said minors. Court then appointed ISAAC HOLMES, DREWRY W. TAYLOR, HENRY SHEPARD, STEPHEN BROWN, and DEMPSEY BROWN for this purpose.

Court appointed B. RUTHERFORD, JOHN T. COOPER, C. T. WOODSON, I. BROOKS, and DAVID HOLMES to divide the estate of the elder orphans of THOMAS W. ANDERSON, dec.

JOHN W. WOOLFOLK, administrator of DANIEL GUNN, dec., granted leave to sell the real estate of said estate.

MARTHA J. HANCOCK, administratrix of WILLIAM J. HANCOCK, dec., granted leave to sell all land of said estate.

THOMAS T. JOHNSON, administrator of HARDY JOHNSON, dec., granted leave to sell all land of said estate.

WILLIAM CHERRY,administrator of ELVIRA O. HEARD, and executor of JAMES HEARD, dec., having fully administered said estates and settled with all heirs was granted letters of dismission.

ALEXANDER LEE was chosen as guardian by JESSE E. LEE and THOMAS E. LEE minors and orphans of ELI LEE, dec. Bond set at $800 with HICKSON LEE and JAMES E. DUNCAN as security.

ISAAC L. HILL, guardian of person and property of EDWIN J. SMITH and THOMAS W. SMITH stated his intentions of removing beyond the court's jurisdiction and to resign his said guardianship. The said minors being over age 14 chose TURNER SMITH as their replacement. Bond set at $6,500 with DAVID GILES as security.

WILLIAM B. BRYAN, administrator of estate of CORDY D. STOKES, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and negroes of said estate.

JAMES CROSS, administrator, and MARY A. JOHNSON, administratrix on estate of RICHARD JOHNSON, dec., ordered to make in conjunction with WILLIAM SMITH, a title for land lots #56 and 57, 3rd Dist. of Dooly County to IRWIN WALDEN and HUGH WALDEN. A notice having been published in the Georgia Telegraph with no objections filed.

JAMES CROSS, administrator, and MARY A. JOHNSON, administratrix on estate of RICHARD JOHNSON, dec., requested distribution of said estate. Court appointed DEMPSEY BROWN, STEPHEN BROWN, and CURTIS LEARY as freeholders to make distribution of the negroes and personal assets of said estate.

GREEN B. LOVETT, administrator of MICAJAH WILLIAMS, dec., having completed his administration of said estate was granted letters of dismission.

HINNANT BYRD, administrator of ALLEN MORRIS, dec., having completed his administration of said estate was granted letters of dismission.

At the July Term of Court an order was passed appointing THOMAS POLLOCK as administrator of estate of RISDEN SMITH, dec., and WILLIAM SMITH filed an appeal to this order. The court noting that said WILLIAM SMITH has in the late Superior Court dismissed his appeal from this court and now consents to the order of this court. Court then ordered that permanent letters of administration be issued to THOMAS POLLOCK.

ELBERT NICHOLS vs JANE E. RICE, Administratrix of CHARLES H. RICE, dec: Petition and Bond for Titles to Land. It appearing to the court in this case that on 11 Oct.1849 CHARLES H. RICE executed to ELBERT NICHOLS his bond upon payment in cash of $62.50 and in consideration of a like sum secured by a promisary note payable 1 Jan.1851 which has been paid in full for land lot #22, 3rd Dist. of Dooly County. Said administratrix having concurred and waved publication was authorized to execute titles.

JOHN A. ALMAN, guardian of MARY O'NEAL and MARTHA O'NEAL minors, having fullfilled his trust with said wards, was granted letters of dismission.

Page 248 - 2 Dec.1850: DAVID M. BROWN, administrator on estate of MARTHA R. LESTER, dec., requested appointment of commissioners to divide said estate. Court appointed LEARRY C. MANNING, A. H. LAIDLER, JOHN PECOCK, JOHN LAIDLER Jr., and WILLIAM C. TAYLOR as freeholders for this purpose.

The petition of DAVID GILES stated that RICHARD SMITH, dec., did in lifetime execute to WILLIAM PALMER his bond conditioned to execute titles to said WILLIAM PALMER for 100 acres of land comprising 50 acres in SW corner of land lot #39, 10th Dist. and 50 acres in NW corner of land lot #40, 10th Dist. and that whole amount of purchase price was paid. Further that the deceased departed this life without making titles or providing for same and said WILLIAM PALMER has since assigned said bond to your petitioner. The petition further requested that JOHN SMITH, administrator of the estate of the deceased be directed to make titles. Court ordered notice to this effect be published in

the Georgia Telegraph and at three public places in this county.

Page 249 - 1 Jan.1851: JOHN LIPTROTT, administrator of estate of CAMILLA TALTON, dec., requested appointment of commissioners to distribute the estate among the heirs and distributees. Court appointed WILLIAM B. BRYAN, ISAAC C. WEST, ROBERT W. BASKIN, RICHARD HUDSON, and EDWARD A. HARVEY as freeholders for this purpose.

Page 249 - 13 Jan.1851: BRYANT BATTON receiving three votes of the five Justices present was duly elected as Clerk of the Court for the ensuing two years.

MURDOCK McCASKILL was at a previous term of court appointed guardian of JOHN McMILLAN a minor. Said minor being entitled to property in State of South Carolina and the courts of that state refused to allow the property removed due to insufficiency of the bond. Court ordered that the bond of said MURDOCK McCASKILL be cancelled and a new bond for $8,000 be made with FLORA McMILLAN and PRECILLA NIXON as his security.

JOHN LIPTROTT, administrator of estate of CAMILLA TALTON, dec., granted authority to advertise in Georgia Telegraph for six months for letters of dismission. Court to review at September Term next.

ISAAC L. HILL, guardian of person and property of EDWARD SMITH, WARREN SMITH, REBECCA SMITH, and NANCY SMITH minor children of THOMAS SMITH, dec., requested resignation from his trust. Court order all persons to show cause why same should not be granted.

It appearing to the court that JOHN M. COOPER, dec., while in life did on 16 Oct.1849 deliver to ROBERT McINVALE his bond conditioned to make titles to lot #316, 13th Dist. containing 202½ acres and said deceased departed this life without making said titles or providing therefor. Court ordered that notice be published in Georgia Telegraph and at three public places why JOHN T. COOPER, administrator should not execute said titles.

The petition of WILLIAM J. ANDERSON stated that JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., did in life execute to said petitioner his bond conditioned to give titles for a certain town lot in Fort Valley. Further the petitioner having paid for same requested that the executors A. D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MYLES L. GREEN be directed to execute titles. Court ordered that notice to this effect be published in Georgia Telegraph and at three public places.

ALLEN SUTTEN appointed guardian of JOHN G. SMITH and YOUNG H. C. SMITH minor children. Bond set at $1,000 with WILLIAM O. BASKIN as security.

SANDERS LANE, guardian of minor children of JAMES LANE, dec., granted leave to hire out the negroes of his wards.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, guardian of JOHN PATE, a minor, is hereby released from annual returns because the court is satisfied there is nothing to be returned.

ORREN C. HORNE, guardian of AARON A. LOWE minor of AARON LOWE, dec., was authorized to purchase for said ward a horse and necessary provisions, plus the use of two negroes belonging to said ward, in order that said ward may cultivate a farm. Said guardian also granted until next term of court to make his return.

The report of WILLIAM B. BRYAN, ISAAC C. WEST, ROBERT W. BASKIN, EDWARD A. HARVEY, and RICHARD HUDSON as commissioners to divide the estate of CAMILLA TALTON, dec., in the hands of JOHN LIPTROTT the administrator, was received and entered on record.

ANNA M. STEPHENS a minor and orphan chose WILLIAM L. FRANKS as her guardian. Court approved and set bond at $10,000.

THOMAS WOODARD, administrator on estate of JOHN WOODARD, dec., having removed beyond the limits of this court and no one applying for said administration - court appointed BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of Court as administrator de bonis non for said estate.

HUGH LAWSON, executor on estate of SAMUEL HOLTON, dec., granted letters of dismission having completed his executorship.

HUGH LAWSON, guardian of WARREN W. HOLTON, stated his desire to resign from said trust. Said minor being over age 14 chose HENRY SHEPPARD as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $6,000 with MADISON MARSHALL as security.

DAVID GILES, appointed guardian of NANCY E. SMITH a minor and REBECCA F. SMITH a minor of THOMAS SMITH, dec. Said REBECCA F. SMITH being over age 14 and having made said guardian her choice. Bond set at $5,000 with TURNER SMITH as security.

THOMAS KING Jr., executor on Will of SAMUEL KING, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of said estate.

JULIA A. COALY appointed administrator de bonis non on estate of ALATIA COALY, dec. JOHN S. WILLIAMS the former administrator having departed this life. Bond set at $6,000

with JOHNATHAN A. D. COALY, DAVID PACE, and ELI WARREN as security.

The last Will and testament of JAMES VINSON, dec., was produced in court by THOMAS LEWIS and WILLIAM R. HARRIS the executors therein and was proven and admited to record. However said named executors fully renounced their rights to take the oath and the widow and relic FRANCIS K. VINSON was appointed administratrix with the Will annexed on estate of said deceased. Bond was set at $20,000 with JOSIAH VINSON, WILLIAM D. TUCKER, and BENJAMIN VINSON as security. JACOB W. GOFF, THOMAS LEWIS, JOSEPH THOMPSON, JOSHIAH VINSON and SEABORN M. BATEMAN were appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 253 - 10 Mar.1851: The petition of DAVID O. SMITH stated that MATHEW SIMMONS, dec., did in life execute to HENRY PITTMAN his bond conditioned to execute titles for land lot #248, 9th Dist. and the bond was further assigned to the petitioner for a valuable consideration and said deceased departed this life sometime in the life year of 1849 without executing said titles. Court ordered that notice be published in Georgia Telegraph and at 3 places in county for anyone to raise objections why A. D. KENDRICK administrator of said estate should not execute said titles.

The petition of JOSEPH H. THOMPSON state that DANIEL GUNN, dec., did in life execute to said petitioner his bond conditioned to execute titles for land lots #97 & 98, Upper 5th Dist. and said deceased departed this life without executing said titles and the purchase price has been paid. Court ordered notice be published in Georgia (blank space) and at 3 places in county for anyone to raise objection why JOHN W. WOOLFOLK administrator of said estate should not execute said titles.

The petition of GEORGE LAW stated that JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., did in life on 17 Sep. 1847 execute to said petitioner his bond for $2,800 conditioned on his paying $1,400 to make titles for land lot #149 containing 200 acres, and 30 acres of lot #137, 1st Dist. originally Muscogee now Macon County. Said land being situtated on west side of Flint River on Toteover Creek and known as Wartens Place. Said petitioner further stated the full purchase price had been paid and requested that TURNER C. EVERETT, ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK and MILES L. GREEN as executors of said estate be directed to execute titles. Court ordered the publication of this application and if no objection are received by next term the executors would be ordered to make titles.

JOHN J. HAMPTON guardian of person and property of GALE HAMPTON minor son of said guardian requested letters of dismission as said son had arrived at full age. Court ordered all persons concerned to show cause why this request should not be granted.

NATHAN BRYAN, guardian of ERASTUS BRYAN, having fully settled with his ward, was granted letters of dismission.

JESSE R. HORNE, administrator of JAMES C. HORNE, dec., having completed his administration was granted letters of dismission.

ISAAC L. HILL, guardian of person and property of EDWIN SMITH, WARREN SMITH, REBECCA SMITH, and NANCEY SMITH minors of THOMAS SMITH, dec., having resigned his trust and no objections raised on publication of a public notice to this effect was granted letters of dismission.

JOHN SMITH, administrator of RICHARD SMITH, dec., requested appointment of freeholders to divide said estate. Court appointed SAMUEL FELDER, JOHN D. WINN, C. J. STALEY, JOHN JONES, and P.B.D.H. CULLER as commissioners to make legal distribution of said estate in hands of said administrator.

BENJAMIN WILLIAMS appointed guardian of JAMES, HENRY H., PERMELIA J., WILLIAM, ISSAC, and JOSEPH WILLIAMS who are his children. Bond set at $400 with WILLIAM CHERRY as his security.

CELIA BURNAM appointed guardian of her three minor children, ELIZABETH, THOMAS, and LEWIS W. BURNAM who are orphans of LEWIS W. BURNAM, dec. Bond set at $6,000 with J. W. C. HORNE as security. Further court ordered that said guardian be permitted to keep the property togeather one the farm and she be permitted to buy such things as necessary for support of the family and carrying on the farm.

AVNER BURNAM, administrator of estate of LEWIS W. BURNAM, dec., having fully administered said estate requested distribution. Court appointed HAMILTON HARVEY, JAMES W. McKENZIE, JAMES ROUSE, WILLIAMSON WEST, and HAMILTON LEWIS as commissioners for such purpose.

J. W. C. HORNE and J. E. J. HORNE, administrators of CULLEN HORNE, dec., having fully settled said estate were granted letters of dismission.

JOHN W. WOOLFOLK, administrator of estate of DANIEL GUNN, dec., granted leave to sell all the real estate of said estate.

CULLEN COX appointed administrator of estate of NEEDHAM SMITH Sr., for such goods, chattels, rights and credits not administered by former administrators WILLIAN SMITH and

RICHARD JOHNSON Jr. Bond set at $4,000 with WILLIAM SUMMERFORD and JAMES SMITH as security.

JANE E. RICE, administratrix on estate of CHARLES H. RICE, dec., having retained as the widow for support of herself and family, for one year from the deceased death, the sum of $500. Court ordered that she be allowed said sum and it be credited to her in her returns.

BRYANT BATTON, Clerk of Court, appointed at last term as administrator de bonis non on estate of JOHN WOODARD, dec., was relieved of his trust by appointment of ISAAC H. HAND as administrator de bonis non of said deceased. Bond set at $6,000 with JESSE COOPER and MORRIS POLLOCK as security. HENRY CONYERS, THOMAS GILBERT, LEWIS POLLOCK, M. JOINER and WILLIAM SMITH appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN SMITH, administrator of estate of RICHARD SMITH, dec., ordered to execute titles for 50 acres in SW corner of land lot #39 and for 50 acres in NW corner of land lot #40, 10th Dist., to DAVID GILES. The deceased having in his lifetime given bond conditioned to make titles for said land to WILLIAM PALMER and said PALMER having assigned said land to DAVID GILES. Publication in Georgia Telegraph and in orther public places having been made with no objections filed.

Page 258 - 8 May 1851: JOHN J. HAMPTON, guardian of his son GALE HAMPTON who is now of full age, was granted letters of dismission.

DANIEL A. GAUSEY appointed guardian of JOANNA HOWELL and SARAH ANN HOWELL minor children of MARY HOWELL, dec. Bond set at $2,000 with ANTHONY M. THOMPSON as security.

JOHN W. SMITH and JAMES SMITH, administrators on estate of WILLIAM SMITH, dec., having fully administered said estate, granted letters of dismission.

JOSEPH N. CARR appointed guardian of person and property of ANN E., JOSEPH W., and WILLIAM McLAMOUR minor orphans of HENRY McLAMOUR, dec. Bond set at $2,300 with P.B.D.H. CULLER as security.

MELTON WRIGHT appointed administrator with Will annexed on the estate of ISHAM WRIGHT dec., his father. Bond set at $6,000. DAVID O. SMITH, JAMES MURRAY, WILLIAM P. ALLEN, HUGH ALLEN and THOMAS ALLEN appointed to appraise said estate.

JOHN T. COOPER, administrator on estate of JOHN W. COOPER, dec., ordered to execute titles to ROBERT McINVALE for land lot #316, 13th Dist. Said deceased while in life having given bond conditioned to execute titles for said land and then departing this life without doing so after the purchase price was paid.

EDMON J. McGEHEE, administrator of estate of WILLIAM E. BELL, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and negroes of said estaTE.

GEORGE W. COMPTON appointed administrator of estate of BENJAMIN LANE, dec. Bond set at $300 with JOHN G. WHITE as security. JOHN CHANCEY, JOHN CHESHIER, LEVI EZELL, EDWARD BACON, and BENJAMIN BRYAN appointed to appraise said estate.

Court noting that IVEY BROOKS, guardian of the minors of JAMES JONES, dec., failed to make his returns for 1848, 1849, and 1850 and one of his securities JOHN W. COOPER having departed this life, ordered said guardian to appear at next term of court to show cause why he has not complied with the regulation of the land and why said bond should not be renewed.

The petition of ASA JOLLY by his Attorney JOHN M. GILES, stated that JAMES A. EVERETT dec., while in life on 27 Sep.1845 made bond conditioned to execute titles to said pettitioner for land lots #168 and 169, 1st Dist. of Macon County. Said deceased having departed this life without executing titles. The petition further requested the executors ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MILES S. GREEN be directed at next term of court to execute titles if no objections are filed.

BELINDA A. WHETSTONE, widow of JAMES M. WHETSTONE, dec., signed a statement dated 2 May 1851 in which she renounced and refused to accept appointment as executrix of the last Will and testament of the deceased.

The last Will and testament of JAMES M. WHETSTONE, dec., having been propounded for probate in open court and proven by two of the subscribing witnesses P. B. D. H. CULLER and WILLIAM ALLEN who stated it was signed in their presence and in the presence of ZACH LAMAR and MARY A. HOUSER two other subscribing witnesses, was ordered admitted to record.

BELINDA A. WHETSTONE the executrix named in the last Will and testament of JAMES M. WHETSTONE, dec., having refused to accept and formlly renounced said appointment, court proceeded to appoint DAVID H. HOUSER as administrator with the Will annexed on estate of said deceased. Bond set at $40,000 with SAMUEL FELDER and WILLIAM M. HASLUM as security. E. M. HULSEY JP, ZACH LAMAR, WILLIAM ALLEN, GREEN HILL, and P.B.D.H. CULLEN were appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 262 - 12 May 1851: The executors of the last Will and testament of CHRISTOPHER B. STRONG, dec., were qualified. WILLIAM H. TALTON, JOEL W. MANN, E. L. MANN, ARTHUR McCALLY and WILLIAM TOMLINSON were appointed to appraise said estate.

Whereas EDWARD FAGAN recently departed this life leaving his family destitute of necessary provisions and whereas temporary administration of said estate granted to JOHN S. TAYLOR and ROBERT McINVALE cannot be made permanent before the September Term next, said temporary administrators are directed to make purchases on credit against the estate for necessary supplies and provisions of the family.

Page 262 - 7 Jul.1851: WILLIAM SMITH and JOSEPH KEMP executors of HENRY McLAMORE, dec., having executed their trust, were granted letters of dismission.

T. T. JOHNSON, administrator on estate of HARDY JOHNSON, dec., granted letters of dismission.

JOHN W. BAPTIST, DAVID WALKER, WILLIAM KING, JAMES E. PRICE, and JOSEPH KEMP were appointed to appraise the estate of MICHAEL HOWARD, dec.

JANE E. RICE administratrix of CHARLES H. RICE, dec., granted leave to sell all the land of said estate.

CHARLES FULWOOD appointed guardian of MARY ANN FULWOOD, JOHN W. FULWOOD, DANIEL A. FULWOOD and WILLIAM FULWOOD minor children of JOHNATHAN FULWOOD, dec. Bond set at $4,000 with DAVID O. SMITH as security.

ROBERT SHIELDS appointed guardian of S.A.E. COPPEDGE, M.F. COPPEDGE, and M.C.R. COPPEDGE, minors of CHARLES R. COPPEDGE, dec. Bond set at $6,000 with JOHN A. LAVENDER as security. NOTE: These children appear to be identical with SARAH ANN, MARY, and MARTHA COOPAGE enumerated in household of ROBERT SHIELDS in 1850 census. The surname is believed to be more correctly spelled COPPAGE.

AVNER BURNAM guardian of minor children of WILLIAM HADDOCK, dec., granted leave to sell the land of said minors.

EDWARD FAGAN, dec., shortly before his death, purchased of GEORGE F. COOPER one two horse wagon at price of $125 for which he gave his note. GEORGE F. COOPER being agreeable, court ordered that JOHN T. TAYLOR and ROBERT McINVALE the administrators of said deceased, be authorized and directed to cancel said trade by giving up and reverting to said GEORGE F. COOPER the wagon and taking up the note.

Court ordered A. D. KENDRICK, administrator on estate of MATHEW SIMONS, dec., to execute titles for land lot #248, 9th Dist. to DAVID O. SMITH who was an assignee of HENRY PITMAN.

The petition of JOSEPH H. THOMPSON stated that DANIEL GUNN, dec., while in life executed to said petitioner his bond conditioned to execute titles for land lot #97 and #98, Upper 5th Dist. and that the deceased departed this life without doing so after said petitioner had paid the full price of purchase. Court ordered that public notice be given for anyone concerned to object why JOHN W. WOOLFOLK administrator should not execute said titles.

ADOLPHUS D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MILES L. GREEN, executors of last Will and testament of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., were directed to execute titles to GEORGE LAW for land lot #149 and 30 acres of land lot #137 lying on Toleover Creek in 1st Dist. of originally Muscogee now Macon County. The previously filed petition of GEORGE LAW having been given public notice with no objections filed.

DAVID M. BROWN, guardian of C. M. LESTER and MARTHA J. LESTER and administrator on estate of MARTHA R. LESTER, dec., granted further time to make his returns.

Page 265 - 1 Sep.1851: ROBERT C. BRYAN, administrator of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., granted leave to sell half of lot #116, 5th Dist. of said estate.

THOMAS WOODWARD of Barber (Barbour) County, Alabama, a minor over age 14 and orphan of THOMAS WOODWARD, late of Houston County, dec., chose STEPHEN WOODWARD as his guardian. Court approved and set bond at $1,000 with WILLIAM B. BRYAN as security.

The last Will and testament of RICHARD PRESCOAT (PRESCOTT), dec., was propounded by JAMES A. PRINGLE the executor named therein and proven by oath of SANDERS D. OUTLAW one of the subscribing witnesses and was admitted to record. GREEN HILL, WILEY MYERS, JAMES POOL, ROBERT HILL and RICHARD MEADOWS appointed to appraise said estate.

JESSE D. HAVIS appointed administrator on estate of JAMES C. HAVIS, dec. Bond set at $500 with ARTHUR WATSON as security.

LEWIS RUMPH appointed administrator of estate of JACOB V. RUMPH, dec. Bond set at $10,000 with GEORGE S. HASLUM as security. S. C. BRYAN, WILLIAM HASLUM, GEORGE S. HASLUM,

SOLOMON FUDGE, and C. MURPH appointed to appraise said estate.

Court accepted the commissioners return on the estate of MARTHA R. LESTER, dec.

JOHN S. TAYLOR and ROBERT McINVALE appointed administrators of estate of EDWARD FAGAN, dec. Bond set at $7,000 with DANIEL ADAMS and WILLIAM H. TALTON as security. THOMAS T. JOHNSON, JACOB RILEY, ASA E. THOMPSON, WILLIAM WEST, and WILLIAM C. TAYLOR were appointed to appraise said estate.

A. D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MILES L. GREEN, executors of the Will of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., directed to execute titles to ASA JOLLY for land lot #168 and #169, 1st Dist. of Macon County. Public notice having been given with no objections filed. Court further ordered the executors to pay $27.50 as cost of these proceedings.

Page 267 - 8 Sep.1851: TAMER CONE, guardian of CAROLINE E., NANCY A., SARAH A., WILLIAM T., and MARTHA A. CONE minors and orphans of ABEL CONE, dec., granted leave to sell land lot #7, 12th Dist. belonging to said wards.

The last Will and testament of WILLIAM BARRON, dec., was proven and ordered admitted to record. The caveat filed against admitting the Will by JAMES BARRON and JAMES HOLTON in right of his wife ANN M. HOLTON formally ANN M. BARRON and daughter of the deceased who are heirs at law, was dismissed. ALLEN P. SPRADLY, MADISON MARSHAL, DANIEL C. FUDGE, MATHEW SHEPPARD, and WILLIAM C. TAYLOR were appointed to appraise said estate.

Page 267 - 15 Sep.1851: THOMAS POLLOCK, administrator on estate of RISDEN SMITH, dec., granted leave to sell the 15 negroes as a division of this number cannot be made among the 7 heirs and 5 of said heirs desiring such sale. The foregoing order having been presented at July Term and was opposed by JESSE SMITH and WILLIAM SMITH and continued to this term and again opposed and resisted by said JESSE and WILLIAM SMITH.

JESSE SMITH and WILLIAM SMITH being dissatisfied with the judgement of the court (see previous entry) filed an appeal on 16 Sep.1851 by their Attorney JOHN M. GILES and paid all costs and tendered SAMUEL D. KILLEN as security and bound themselves for all future costs.

Page 269 - 4 Nov.1851: ROBERT C. BRYAN, administrator of estate of JAMES A. BRYAN, dec., requested an order of distribution of the estate. Court appointed M. JOINER, WILSON SMITH, LEARY STANLEY, A. B. HORNE, and THOMAS GILBERT as commissioners for said purpose.

GEORGE M. DUNCAN appointed administrator of TEMPERANCE BRADY, dec. Bond set at $600 with FELIX McNAIR as security.

GEORGE M. DUNCAN appointed administrator of estate of JAMES E. DUNCAN, dec. Bond set at $60,000 with JAMES W. BELVIN and WILLIAM SUMERFORD as security. DREWRY W. TAYLOR, ISAAC HOLMES, JAMES W. BELVIN, WILLIAN SUMERFORD, and JOHN H. POWERS appointed to appraise said estate.

WILLIAM O. BASKIN, executor of JOHN M. SMITH, dec., requested an order of distribution. Court appointed JOHN T. COOPER, IVEY BROOKS, WARREN E. SANDERS, WILLIAM S. MOORE, and SAMUEL FELDER freeholders as commissioners to make legal distribution of the estate and set off to BURKET D. SMITH and JOHN PEARCE in right of his wife MARTHA their respective shares.

AVNER BURNAM, administrator of estate of MICHAEL W. HADDOCK, dec., having fully administered said estate, was granted letters of dismission.

ISAAC H. HAND, administrator de bonis non of JOHN WOODWARD, dec., granted leave to sell a negro woman named Luvina(?).

LEARRY C. MANNING and GILES COLE, administrators of estate of MATHEW GRACE, dec., having fully discharged their duties were granted letters of dismission.

JOHN T. COOPER, administrator of JOHN W. COOPER, dec., granted leave to sell all the land and negroes of said estate.

THOMAS W. BARRON and WILLIAM A. BARRON minor children of WILLIAM BARRON, dec., being over the age of 14 years and appearing in open court chose WILLIAM C. TAYLOR as their guardian. Court approved and set bond at $5,000 with JOHN S. TAYLOR as security.

IVEY BROOKS, guardian of person and property of NANCY SUSAN, SARAH ANN, JAMES R., and PELLATIAH M. JONES minors of JAMES JONES, dec., resigned his guardianship. NANCY SUSAN and SARAH ANN being over age 14 chose JOHN T. COOPER as their guardian. Court approved and appointed said JOHN T. COOPER as guardian of all four children. Bond set at $25,000 with GEORGE F. COOPER, AUGUSTIN COOPER, and JESSE M. COOPER as security.

RODAH TOMLINSON appointed administratrix of estate of WILLIAM TOMLINSON, dec. Bond set at $1,000 with SHEPHARD ROGERS as security. JOHN JONES, SAMUEL FELDER, C. BALDWIN, JOHN M. CHASTAIN, and JOHN KILLEN appointed to appraise said estate.

A. D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MILES L. GREEN, executors of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., directed to make titles to WILLIAM J. ANDERSON for a town lot in village of Fort Valley on which said ANDERSON now resides. Said executors further ordered to pay $26.75 the costs accrued in this case.

A. D. KENDRICK, TURNER C. EVERETT, and MILES L. GREEN, executors of JAMES A. EVERETT, dec., granted leave to sell the following land of the deceased: South half of lot #150, south half of lot #139, lot #170, and lot #151 except 6 acres in SW corner, all land lying in 7th Dist. of Dooly County and containing 707½ acres. Lots #29 and lot #5 except 2 acres, west half of lot #6, and 15 acres of lot #192 and lot #161, all lying in 9th Dist. and Upper 14th Dist. of Houston County and known as the Mill Place and lots #141, 142, 148, and north half of #147 all lying in the Henderson Dist. and known as the Jones Place. East half of lot#55 and an adjoining lot number not known, all lying in the 15th Dist. formerly Houston now Macon County and known as the Horse Head Place, and lots #197, 194, 195 and east half of #197 all lying in 28th Dist. formerly Lee now Sumter County and lot #193 lying in 13th Dist. Sumter County formerly Lee. Also an improved lot in Fort Valley #21 in block F containing 1 acre now occupied by JAMES J. ANDERSON.

Page 271 - 17 Nov.1851: The nuncupative Will of EZEKIEL MURRAY, dec., was propounded in open court by COLUMBUS W. HAND one of the executors therein and ABRAM BATTON, FRANCES B. MOOREAND (MORELAND), and DAVID MURRAY duly swore they were present in the deceased house at making of said Will and that same was committed to writing within six days thereafter. MATILDA MURRAY widow of the deceased waving further notice, concurred in the actions of STEPHEN Z. MURRAY and COLUMBUS W. HAND as executors named and the testamentry of ABRAM BATTON, FRANCES B. MOORE, DAVID MURRAY, and HARDY BATTON. Court then proceeded to prove and admit the Will to record. ABRAM BATTON, FRANCES B. MOORE, DAVID MURRAY, JOHN A. McKAY and RICHARD MEADOWS appointed to appraise said estate.

CHARLES A. FULWOOD guardian for minor children of JOHNATHAN FULWOOD, dec., granted leave to sell the land and negroes of his wards.

JAMES MURRAY, administrator on estate of DAVID DUNN, dec., having fully administered said estate, was granted letters of dismission.

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Page 24 - 20 Nov.1837: NATHAN BUSBY, JAMES GUERRY, MARTIN JOHN, GEORGE PATTON, and HEZEKIAH THOMPSON appointed to appraise estate of SCARBOROUGH REMBERT, dec.

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